

POLYKETIDES AND THEIR SYNTHESIS

The present invention relates to processes and materials (including enzyme systems, nucleic acids, vectors and cultures) for preparing polyketides, particularly polyethers but including polyenes, macrolides and other polyketides by recombinant synthesis, and to the polyketides so produced, particularly novel polyketides. (N.B the term "polyketide" is being used in its conventional sense to include structures notionally derived by the reduction and/or other processing or modification of one or more Ketide units). Furthermore the invention provides the entire nucleic acid sequence of the biosynthetic gene cluster that governs the production of the ionophoric antibiotic polyether polyketide monensin in *Streptomyces cinnamonensis*, and the use of all or part of the cloned DNA first, in the specific detection of other polyether biosynthetic gene clusters; secondly in the engineering of mutant strains of *S. cinnamonensis* and of other actinomycetes which are suitable host strains for the high level production of novel recombinant polyketides; and thirdly in the provision of recombinant biosynthetic genes which lead to such novel polyketide products.

Polyketides are a large and structurally diverse

class of natural products that includes many compounds possessing antibiotic or other pharmacological properties, such as erythromycin, tetracyclines, rapamycin, avermectin, monensin, epothilones and FK506.

5 In particular, polyketides are abundantly produced by *Streptomyces* and related actinomycete bacteria. They are synthesised by the repeated stepwise condensation of acylthioesters in a manner analogous to that of fatty acid biosynthesis. The greater structural diversity found
10 among natural polyketides arises from the selection of (usually) acetate or propionate as "starter" or "extender" units; and from the differing degree of processing of the β -keto group observed after each condensation. Examples of processing steps include
15 reduction to β -hydroxyacyl-, reduction followed by dehydration to 2-enoyl-, and complete reduction to the saturated acylthioester. The stereochemical outcome of these processing steps is also specified for each cycle of chain extension. In addition, the biosynthetic
20 pathways to many polyketides involve additional enzyme-catalysed modifications which may include: methylation by O- and C-methyltransferases, hydroxylation by cytochrome P450 enzymes, other oxidation or reduction processes, and the biosynthesis and attachment of novel sugars and/or
25 deoxy sugars.

The biosynthesis of polyketides is initiated by a group of chain-forming enzymes known as polyketide synthases. Two classes of polyketide synthase (PKS) have been described in actinomycetes. One class, named Type I
 5 PKSs, represented by the PKSs for the macrolides erythromycin, oleandomycin, avermectin and rapamycin, consists of a different set or "module" of enzymes for each cycle of polyketide chain extension. (For examples see Cortés, J. *et al.* Nature (1990) 348:176-178; Donadio,
 10 S. *et al.* Science (1991) 252:675-679; Swan, D.G. *et al.* Mol. Gen. Genet. (1994) 242:358-362; MacNeil, D.J. *et al.* Gene (1992) 115:119-125; Schwecke, T. *et al.* Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA (1995) 92:7839-7843.)

The term "extension module" as used herein refers to
 15 the set of contiguous domains, from a β -ketoacyl-ACP synthase ("KS") domain to the next acyl carrier protein ("ACP") domain, which accomplishes one cycle of polyketide chain extension. The term "loading module" is used to refer to any group of contiguous domains which
 20 accomplishes the loading of the starter unit onto the PKS and thus renders it available to the KS domain of the first extension module. The length of polyketide formed has been altered, in the case of erythromycin biosynthesis, by specific relocation using genetic
 25 engineering of the enzymatic domain of the erythromycin-

producing PKS that contains the chain releasing thioesterase/cyclase activity (Cortés J. et al. Science (1995) 268:1487-1489; Kao, C.M. et al. J. Am. Chem. Soc. (1995) 117:9105-9106).

5 In-frame deletion of the DNA encoding part of the ketoreductase domain in module 5 of the erythromycin-producing PKS (also known as 6-deoxyerythronolide B synthase, DEBS) has been shown to lead to the formation of erythromycin analogues 5,6-dideoxy-3- α -mycarosyl-5-
10 oxoerythronolide B, 5,6-dideoxy-5-oxoerythronolide B and 5,6-dideoxy,6- β -epoxy-5-oxoerythronolide B (Donadio, S. et al. Science (1991) 252:675-679). Likewise, alteration of active site residues in the enoylreductase domain of module 4 in DEBS, by genetic engineering of the
15 corresponding PKS-encoding DNA and its introduction into *Saccharopolyspora erythraea*, led to the production of 6,7-anhydroerythromycin C (Donadio, S. et al. Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA (1993) 90:7119-7123).

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20 describes additional types of genetic manipulation of the DEBS genes that are capable of producing altered polyketides. However many such attempts are reported to have been unproductive (Hutchinson, C.R. and Fujii, I. Annu. Rev. Microbiol. (1995) 49:201-238, at p. 231). The
25 complete DNA sequence of the genes from *Streptomyces*

hygroscopicus that encode the modular Type I PKS governing the biosynthesis of the macrocyclic immunosuppressant polyketide rapamycin has been disclosed (Schwecke, T. et al. (1995) Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 92:7839-7843). The DNA sequence is deposited in the EMBL/Genbank Database under the accession number X86780.

WO 98/01546 discloses that a PKS gene assembly (particularly of Type I) encodes a loading module which is followed by at least one extension module. The first open reading frame encodes the first multi-enzyme or cassette (DEBS1) which consists of three modules: the loading module (ery-load) and two extension modules (modules 1 and 2). The loading module comprises an acyltransferase and an acyl carrier protein. This may be contrasted with Figure 1 of WO 93/13663 (referred to above). This shows ORF1 as only two modules, the first of which is in fact both the loading module and the first extension module.

WO 98/01546 describes in general terms the production of a hybrid PKS gene assembly comprising a loading module and at least one extension module. It also describes (see also Marsden, A.F.A. et al. Science (1998) 279:199-202) construction of a hybrid PKS gene assembly by grafting the wide-specificity loading module for the avermectin-producing polyketide synthase onto the first

multi-enzyme component (DEBS1) for the erythromycin PKS in place of the normal loading module. Certain novel polyketides can be prepared using the hybrid PKS gene assembly, as described for example in WO 98/01571.

5 WO 98/01546 further describes the construction of a hybrid PKS gene assembly by grafting the loading module for the rapamycin-producing polyketide synthase onto the first multi-enzyme component (DEBS1) for the erythromycin PKS in place of the normal loading module. The loading
10 module of the rapamycin PKS differs from the loading modules of DEBS and the avermectin PKS in that it comprises a CoA ligase domain, an enoylreductase ("ER") domain and an ACP, so that suitable organic acids including the natural starter unit 3,4-
15 dihydroxycyclohexane carboxylic acid may be activated *in situ* on the PKS loading domain and, with or without reduction by the ER domain, transferred to the ACP for intramolecular loading of the KS of extension module 1 (Schwecke, T. et al. Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA (1995)
20 92:7839-7843). WO 98/51695 and WO 98/49315 describe additional types of genetic manipulation of the DEBS genes that are capable of producing altered polyketides.

The second class of PKS, named Type II PKSs, is represented by the synthases for aromatic compounds. Type
25 II PKSs contain only a single set of enzymatic activities

for chain extension and these are re-used as appropriate in successive cycles (Bibb, M.J. et al. EMBO J. (1989) 8:2727-2736; Sherman, D.H. et al. EMBO J. (1989) 8:2717-2725; Fernandez-Moreno, M.A. et al. J. Biol. Chem. (1992) 267:19278-19290). The "extender" units for the Type II PKSs are usually acetate units, and the presence of specific cyclases dictates the preferred pathway for cyclisation of the completed chain into an aromatic product (Hutchinson, C.R. and Fujii, I. Ann. Rev. Microbiol. (1995) 49:201-238). Hybrid polyketides have been obtained by the introduction of cloned Type II PKS gene-containing DNA into another strain containing a different Type II PKS gene cluster, for example by introduction of DNA derived from the gene cluster for actinorhodin, a blue-pigmented polyketide from *Streptomyces coelicolor*, into an anthraquinone polyketide-producing strain of *Streptomyces galileus* (Bartel, P.L. et al. J. Bacteriol. (1990) 172:4816-4826).

The minimal number of domains required for polyketide chain extension on a Type II PKS when expressed in a *Streptomyces coelicolor* host cell (the "minimal PKS") has been defined for example in WO 95/08548 as containing the following three polypeptides which are products of the *actI* genes: firstly KS; secondly a polypeptide termed the CLF with end-to-end

amino acid sequence similarity to the KS but in which the essential active site residue of the KS, namely a cysteine residue, is substituted either by a glutamine residue or, in the case of the PKS for a spore pigment such as the *whiE* gene product (Davis, N.K. and Chater, K.F. Mol. Microbiol. (1990) 4:1679-1691) by a glutamic acid residue; and finally an ACP. The CLF has been stated (for example in WO 95/08548) to be a factor that determines the chain length of the polyketide chain that is produced by the minimal PKS. However it has been found (Shen, B. et al. J. Am. Chem. Soc. (1995) 117:6811-6821) that when the CLF for the octaketide actinorhodin is used to replace the CLF for the decaketide tetracenomycin in host cells of *Streptomyces glaucescens*, the polyketide product is not found to be altered from a decaketide to an octaketide, so the exact role of the CLF remains unclear. An alternative nomenclature has been proposed in which KS is designated KS α and CLF is designated KS β , to reflect this lack of knowledge (Meurer, G. et al. Chemistry & Biology (1997) 4:433-443). The mechanism by which acetate starter units and acetate extender units are loaded onto the Type II PKS is not known, but it is speculated that the malonyl-CoA: ACP acyltransferase of the fatty acid synthase of the host cell can fulfil the same function for the Type II PKS (Revill, W.P. et al. J.

Bacteriol. (1995) 177:3946-3952).

WO 95/08548 describes the replacement of actinorhodin PKS genes by heterologous DNA from other Type II PKS gene clusters, to obtain hybrid polyketides.

5 It also describes the construction of a strain of *Streptomyces coelicolor* which substantially lacks the native gene cluster for actinorhodin, and the use in that strain of a plasmid vector pRM5 derived from the low-copy number vector SCP2* isolated from *Streptomyces coelicolor*

10 (Bibb, M.J. and Hopwood, D.A. J. Gen. Microbiol. (1981) 126:427-442) and in which heterologous PKS-encoding DNA may be expressed under the control of the divergent *actI/actIII* promoter region of the actinorhodin gene cluster (Fernandez-Moreno, M.A. et al. J. Biol. Chem. (1992)

15 267:19278-19290). The plasmid pRM5 also contains DNA from the actinorhodin biosynthetic gene cluster encoding the gene for a specific activator protein, ActII-orf4. The ActII-orf4 protein is required for transcription of the genes placed under the control of the *actI/actIII*

20 bidirectional promoter and activates gene expression during the transition from growth to stationary phase in the vegetative mycelium (Hallam, S.E. et al. Gene (1988) 74:305-320).

Type II clusters in *Streptomyces* are known to be

25 activated by pathway-specific activator genes (Narva,

K.E. and Feitelson, J.S. J. Bacteriol. (1990) 172:326-333; Stutzman-Engwall, K.J. et al. J. Bacteriol. (1992) 174:144-154; Fernandez-Moreno, M.A. et al. Cell (1991) 66:769-780; Takano, E. et al. Mol. Microbiol. (1992) 5 6:2797-2804; Gramajo, H.C. et al. Mol. Microbiol. (1993) 7:837-845). The DnrI gene product complements a mutation in the *actII-orf4* gene of *S. coelicolor*, implying that DnrI and ActII-orf4 proteins act on similar targets. A gene (*srmR*) has been described (EP 0 524 832 A2) that is 10 located near the Type I PKS gene cluster for the macrolide polyketide spiramycin. This gene specifically activates the production of the macrolide antibiotic spiramycin, but no other examples have been found of such a gene. Also, no homologues of the ActII-orf4/DnrI/RedD 15 family of activators have been described that act on Type I PKS genes. WO 98/01546 describes the use of the ActII-orf4 family of activators in conjunction with their cognate promoters (e.g *actII-orf4* with the *actI* promoter) in a heterologous actinomycete to obtain high level 20 expression of recombinant Type I polyketide synthase genes.

Although large numbers of therapeutically important polyketides have been identified, there remains a need to obtain novel polyketides that have enhanced properties or 25 possess completely novel bioactivity. The complex

polyketides produced by Type I PKSs are particularly
valuable, in that they include compounds with known
utility as anthelmintics, insecticides,
immunosuppressants, antifungal agents or antibacterial
5 agents. Because of their structural complexity, such
novel polyketides are not readily obtainable by total
chemical synthesis, nor by chemical modifications of
known polyketides.

There is also a need to develop reliable and
10 specific ways of deploying individual genes and portions
of genes in practice so that all, or a large fraction, of
hybrid PKS genes that are constructed, are viable and
produce the desired polyketide product. This includes the
development of advantageous host strains for expression
15 of such genes. For example many polyketides are rendered
bioactive by the action of further enzymes other than the
polyketide synthase, and host strains that contain and
are able to express the genes for such enzymes are
particularly convenient for the efficient synthesis of
20 the bioactive material. In those cases where the
construction of a known or a novel polyketide requires
specialised precursors, host strains containing and able
to express the genes for key enzymes that enhance the
production of such specialised precursors are equally
25 valuable and desirable. There is also a need to develop

rational methods of increasing the expression level of all the genes required for production of a specific polyketide. Clearly also a host cell which is advantageous for the above reasons, and/or because of other favourable characteristics including but not limited to its speed of growth, excellent handling characteristics in fermentation, and ease of transformation with DNA by various techniques, can be made even more favourable by the cloning into that cell of such auxiliary genes for polyketide modification, or gene activation, or post-translational modification, or precursor supply.

The DNA sequences have been disclosed for several Type I PKS gene clusters that govern the production of 16-membered macrolide polyketides, including the tylosin PKS from *Streptomyces fradiae* (application EP 0 791 655 A2), the niddamycin PKS from *Streptomyces caelestis* (Kavakas, S.J. et al. J. Bacteriol. (1997) 179:7515-7522) and the spiramycin PKS from *Streptomyces ambofaciens* (application EP 0791 655 A2). DNA sequences have also been disclosed for Type I PKS gene clusters that govern the production of further complex polyketides, for example rifamycin from *Amiclatopsis mediterranei* (WO 98/07868), and soraphen from *Sorangium cellulosum* (US

5716849), but so far no DNA sequence has been disclosed for one of the most widespread and important classes of complex polyketides, the polyethers.

Polyethers form an important group of complex polyketide antibiotics (Westley, J.W. in "Antibiotics IV. Biosynthesis" (Corcoran, J.W. Ed.), Springer-Verlag, New York (1981) p. 41-73). They are polyoxygenated carboxylic acids which act as selective ionophores transporting cations across the cell membrane of target cells and thereby causing depolarisation and cell death. Certain polyethers including monensin, lasalocid and tetronasin are in widespread use in animal husbandry as coccidiostats (principally targetted against *Eimeria* spp.) and as growth promoters. Polyethers have also been reported to be active *in vitro* and *in vivo* against the malarial parasite *Plasmodium falciparum* (Gumila, C. et al. Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy (1997) 41: 523-529).

20 Polyethers contain multiple asymmetric centres and
are characterised by the presence of tetrahydrofuran and
tetrahydropyran rings, producing a characteristic shape
which is non-polar on its outer surface and therefore
well adapted for transport of material across bacterial
membranes; and provides on its inner surface polar
25 coordinating ligands for a centrally-bound metal ion. In

addition to tetrahydrofuran and tetrahydropyran rings,
other groups which are often present include spiroketal,
dispiroketal, and substituted benzoic acid moieties and
occasionally other groups for example a tetronic acid or
5 a 6-membered carbocyclic ring -

Monensins A and B are produced by the actinomycete
Streptomyces cinnamomensis. Their structures are shown in
Figure 1. Monensin B differs from monensin A only in the
presence of a methyl sidechain at C-16 rather than an
10 ethyl sidechain. Monensin selectively binds and
transports sodium ions. In addition to its antibacterial
and antifungal properties monensin has some activity
against protozoal parasites such as the malarial parasite
Plasmodium falciparum. Although the structures of
15 polyethers differ significantly from those of other
complex polyketides such as the polyhydroxylated and
polyene macrolides, their biosynthesis appears to take
place by a metabolic pathway which has many common
elements. Thus experiments using carbon 14-labelled
20 precursors have shown that monensin A is synthesised from
five acetate, one butyrate and seven propionate units
(Day, L.E. et al. Antimicrob. Agents Chemother. (1973)
4:410-414). Similarly experiments using precursors
doubly-labelled with carbon-13 and oxygen-18 have shown
25 that oxygens (O)1, (O)3, (O)4, (O)5, (O)6 and (O)10 of

monensin arise from the carboxylate oxygens of either propionate or acetate, while growth in the presence of oxygen-18 oxygen gas demonstrated that the three remaining ether oxygens (O)7, (O)8 and (O)9 are derived from molecular oxygen (Cane, D.E. *et al.*, J. Am. Chem. Soc. (1981) 103:5962-5965; Cane, D.E. *et al.* J. Am. Chem. Soc. (1982) 104:7274 - 7281; Ajaz, A.A. and Robinson, J.A. J. Chem. Soc. Chem. Commun. (1983) 12:679-680). These findings have been rationalised by proposing that the biosynthesis of monensin proceeds via an acyclic triene intermediate (1) in which the geometry of all three carbon-carbon double bonds is E (entgegen) rather than Z (zusammen). The triene is then proposed to be subject to epoxidation to a tri-epoxide (2) and then ring opening is proposed to occur with concomitant sequential formation of the five ether rings as shown in Figure 2A. Such a biosynthetic pathway, first mooted by Westley in 1974 (Westley J.W. *et al.*, J. Antibiot. (1974) 27:597-604) accounts for the observed stereochemistry at the multiple asymmetric centres in monensin, (Cane, D.E. *et al.* J. Am. Chem. Soc. (1982) 104:7274-7281; Sood, G.R. *et al.* J. Chem. Soc. Chem. Commun. (1984) 21:1421-1424) and analogous schemes can be used to account for the biosynthesis of other known polyethers. such as lasalocid A (Hutchinson C.R. *et al.*, J. Am. Chem. Soc. (1981)

103:5953-5956), tetronasin (ICI 139603) (Demetriadou,
A.K. et al. J. Chem. Soc. Chem. Commun. (1985) 7:408-410)
and narasin (Spavold, Z. et al. Tetrahedron Letters
(1986) 27:3299-3302). The hydroxylation at C-26 and the
5 introduction of an O-methyl group on oxygen 3-are
proposed to occur as late steps in the biosynthesis,
after formation of the polyether structure.

Unfortunately key aspects of the biosynthetic scheme
shown in Figure 2A have so far eluded experimental
10 confirmation. No biosynthetic intermediates have been
isolated from mutants of *S. cinnamomensis* that are
blocked in early stages of monensin production. 26-
deoxymonensin A has been isolated from a *S. cinnamomensis*
mutant partially blocked in monensin production
15 (Ashworth, D.M. et al. J. Antibiot. (1989) 42:1088-1099)
and 3-O-demethylmonensins A and B have been recovered as
minor components from the fermentation broth of a
monensin-producing strain (Pospisil, S. et al. J.
Antibiot. (1987) 40:555-557). When fed to cells of *S.*
20 *cinnamomensis* in radio-labelled form, neither
26-deoxymonensin A, nor 3-O-demethylmonensin A, nor 3-O-
demethyl, 26-deoxymonensin A were significantly
incorporated into monensin A (Ashworth, D.M. et al. J.
Antibiot. (1989) 42:1088-1099), either because they are
25 actively excluded or because these modifications in fact

occur earlier in the biosynthetic pathway so that these metabolites are shunt products not readily converted into the final antibiotic by the respective hydroxylase or methyltransferase. Similarly, the putative all (E)-triene precursor (1) has been synthesised and shown not to become incorporated into monensin when fed to growing cells of *S. cinnamonensis* (Holmes, D.S. et al. Helv. Chim. Acta (1990) 73:239-259). An alternative pathway has been proposed, as shown in Fig 2B, based on the transition-metal-mediated oxidation of 1,5-dienes (Walba, D.M. and Edwards, P.D. Tetrahedron Lett. (1980) 21:3531-3534). The triene intermediate (4) would differ from that of Figure 2A (1) only in that each carbon-carbon double bond would have the (Z)-configuration (Townsend, C.A. and Basak, A. Tetrahedron (1991) 47:2591-2602) and not the (E)- configuration.

The genetic basis of secondary metabolite biosynthesis essentially exists in the genes which code for the individual biosynthetic enzymes and in the regulatory elements which control the expression of the biosynthetic genes. The genes encoding biosynthesis of polyketides in actinomycetes have hitherto been found as clusters of adjacent genes, ranging in size from 20 kilobasepairs (kbp) to over 100 kbp. The clusters often contain specific regulatory genes and genes

conferring resistance of the producing strain to its own antibiotic.

In various of its aspects the invention provides the following:-

5 (1) a DNA sequence encoding at least one-peptide necessary for the biosynthesis of monensin, preferably comprising one or more of the following genes: *mon BI*, *mon BII*, *mon CI*, *mon CII*, *mon H*, *mon RI*, *mon RII*, *mon T*, *mon AIX* and *mon AX* as depicted in the appended sequence
10 data or an allele or mutation thereof;

(2) a DNA sequence according to the first aspect comprising all of the genes listed therein or an allele or mutation thereof;

15 (3) a DNA sequence according to the first aspect comprising the complete monensin gene cluster;

(4) a DNA sequence coding for one or more of the peptides set out below, said peptide having the amino acid sequence as set out in the appended sequence data or being a variant thereof having the specified activity:

20	<u>peptide</u>	<u>activity</u>
	<i>mon CII</i>	epoxyhydrolase/cyclase
	<i>mon E</i>	S-adenosylmethionine-dependent methyltransferase
	<i>mon T</i>	monensin resistance gene
	<i>mon RII</i>	repressor protein
25	<i>mon AIX</i>	thioesterase

mon AI polyketide synthase multienzyme
mon AII polyketide synthase multienzyme
mon AIII polyketide synthase multienzyme
mon AIV polyketide synthase multienzyme
5 *mon AVI* polyketide synthase multienzyme
mon AVII polyketide synthase multienzyme
mon AVIII polyketide synthase multienzyme
mon H regulatory protein
mon CI flavin-dependent epoxidase
10 *mon BII* carbon-carbon double bond isomerase
mon BI carbon-carbon double bond isomerase
mon D cytochrome P450 hydroxylase
mon RI activator protein
mon AX thioesterase

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(5) a recombinant cloning or expression vector comprising a DNA sequence according to any of aspects 1-4;

(6) a transformant host cell which has been transformed to contain a DNA sequence according to any of
 20 aspects 1-4 and is capable of expressing a corresponding peptide;

(7) a hybridization probe comprising a polynucleotide which binds specifically to a region of the monensin gene cluster selected from *mon BI*, *mon BII*, *mon CI*, *mon CII*,
 25 *mon H*, *mon RI*, *mon RII*, *mon T*, *mon AIX* and *mon AX*;

(8) use of a probe according to aspect (7) in a method of detecting the presence of a gene cluster which governs the synthesis of a polyether, and optionally isolating a gene cluster detected thereby;

5 (9) Use of a probe comprising a polynucleotide which binds specifically to a gene responsible for levels of activity of the monensin gene cluster, preferably a regulatory gene, resistance gene or thioesterase gene, more preferably the regulatory gene *mon RI*, in a method of
10 detecting an analogous gene in a gene cluster of another polyketide, preferably a polyether, and optionally manipulating the gene detected thereby to alter the level of expression of said other polyketide;

(10) a host cell, preferably *Streptomyces*
15 *cinnamomensis*, containing a heterologous gene under the control of the *mon RI* gene and a monensin promoter;

(11) use of a portion of the monensin gene cluster having chain terminating activity, preferably comprising at least one of *mon AIX* and *mon AX* or a mutant or allele
20 thereof having chain terminating activity, to effect chain release of a peptide other than one required for monensin biosynthesis;

(12) use of a portion of the monensin gene cluster having carbon-carbon double bond isomerase activity,
25 preferably comprising at least one of *mon BI* and *mon BII*

or a mutant or allele thereof having isomerase activity to provide a desired stereochemical outcome in the synthesis of a polyketide other than monensin;

5 (13) a polypeptide encoded by a portion of the monensin gene cluster, preferably comprising at least one of *mon BI* and *mon BII* or a mutant or allele thereof, having carbon-carbon double bond isomerase activity;

(14) an epoxidase enzyme encoded by *mon CI* or a derivative or variant thereof having epoxidase activity;

10 (15) a cyclase enzyme encoded by *mon CII* or a derivative or variant thereof having cyclase activity.

Some embodiments of the invention will now be described by way of example with reference to the accompanying drawings in which:

15 Fig 1 shows the structure of monensins A and B;
Fig 2 illustrates proposed biosynthetic pathways;
Fig 3 illustrates the proposed organization of the monensin polyketide synthase (PKS) enzyme complex; and
Fig 4 illustrates the proposed organization of the
20 monensin biosynthetic gene cluster.

The overall gene organization of the monensin biosynthetic gene cluster, as shown in Fig 4, is similar to that previously found for many macrolide biosynthetic gene clusters, which have one or more open reading frames
25 (ORFs) encoding large multifunctional PKSs flanked by

other genes which encode functions required for the biosynthesis of the antibiotic. In the case of monensin, there is an unusually high number of distinct ORFs encoding PKS multi-enzymes (eight in total, labelled *monAI* to *monAVIII*) but there is again a separate module of enzymes for each cycle of polyketide chain extension, exactly as found for modular PKSs for macrolide biosynthesis (see Fig 3). Thus there are 12 condensations predicted to be required for the production of the carbon skeleton of monensin, and in agreement with this there are found to be 12 extension modules of PKS enzymes distributed among the 8 PKS ORFs. However, as mentioned in detail below, the other genes in the monensin cluster include genes which have not previously been found in any other gene cluster for the biosynthesis of a complex polyketide, and which are not significantly similar to any genes in published sequence databases. The cloned DNA for these genes is useful to allow the diagnosis that a polyketide biosynthetic gene cluster in any actinomycete, uncovered previously by conventional hybridization against a PKS gene probe from (say) the DEBS or some other characterised PKS gene cluster, is one that governs the synthesis of a polyether; and these genes are also valuable either singly or in combination as specific hybridization probes for the specific detection and

isolation of additional polyether biosynthetic gene clusters. Examples of these previously-unknown genes are the genes *monBI*, *monBII*, *monCI* and *monCII*. In addition the regulatory genes *monH*, *monRI*, and *monRII* and the resistance gene *monT* and the thioesterase genes *monAIX* and *monAX* are all useful for the detection of analogous genes in other polyether clusters which are required for the rational manipulation of such genes in order to increase levels of the specific product.

The cloned and sequenced cluster of genes for monensin biosynthesis is useful secondly in the engineering of mutant strains of *S. cinnamomensis* and of other actinomycetes which are suitable strains for the high level production of either natural or novel recombinant polyketides. The sequence of the monensin cluster disclosed here shows the surprising fact, that the gene cluster contains a gene *monRI* whose gene product has an amino acid sequence highly similar to that of *actII-orf4*, the pathway-specific activator gene which activates the *actI* and other promoters of the actinorhodin biosynthetic gene cluster of *Streptomyces coelicolor*. The recognition of this aspect of the natural regulation of a Type I PKS cluster is important and valuable because first, it is possible to increase the yield of monensin by increasing the level of the activator MonRI, either by

placing the gene *monRI* under the control of a powerful promoter or arranging for the presence within the cells of one or more additional copies of the *monRI* gene (as exemplified below); secondly, it will be possible to use the *monRI* gene as a specific hybridisation probe to locate similar genes in other complex PKS gene clusters, especially other polyether PKS gene clusters but also polyene and macrolide gene clusters and all other Type I modular PKS gene clusters; even in cases where (as for rapamycin and erythromycin) no such gene has been previously found within the currently accepted physical limits of the relevant biosynthetic gene cluster. In such cases the *monRI* gene probe might be expected to uncover the activator even if it resides on the chromosome at some distance from the main body of the gene cluster; and simple experiments would then show whether the activator(s) so uncovered are involved in regulation of the biosynthesis of those particular metabolites; thirdly, increasing the copy number of the *monRI* gene or of any of the activator genes uncovered will tend to increase the yield of a heterologous polyketide by "crosstalk" where the activator mimics the presence of the normal activator for the transcription of the genes for that heterologous polyketide synthase. It is clear from recently published work (Wietzorrek, A. and Bibb, M. Mol. Microbiol. (1997)

25:1181-1184) that the ActII-orf4 family of activators exert their effects by binding to promoter regions within the target gene cluster, so it will be possible to use the *monRI* gene together with monensin promoter regions to drive the high-level transcription and translation of heterologous genes in *Streptomyces cinnamonensis*, and perhaps in other host strains too; such genes need not be PKS genes or even involved in polyketide biosynthesis. Monensin promoter regions are found at the 5' end of genes or groups of genes in the cluster and their location is clear from the sequence analysis disclosed here. Thus a useful vector would provide the monensin promoter and the ribosome binding site and continue up to the start of the open reading frame, after which the monensin ORF naturally found there would be replaced by the heterologous gene. The relative strength of the monensin promoters can be readily determined using any one of a number of known promoter probes, i.e. genes whose expression gives rise to readily measurable and quantifiable effects, such as Green Fluorescent Protein (GFP); or beta-galactosidase in the presence of a chromogenic substrate. It should be possible to mutate randomly the small region of the monensin promoters especially likely to interact with the MonRI activator (identified by the presence of tandem heptanucleotide repeats with a common consensus sequence

between the various monensin promoters) (Wietzorrek, A. and Bibb, M. Mol. Microbiol. (1997) 25:1181-1184), and to determine the optimal DNA sequence for the maximal activation effect using either *S. cinnamonensis* (preferably - in case there are other unknown factors that make the activation function better in this strain than in other heterologous systems), or even in another host actinomycete strain. If the natural monensin promoters were mutated to have this optimal recognition sequence, then this would further increase the production of monensin. By extension, the use of this modified monensin promoter in conjunction with the *monRI* gene in heterologous systems could form the basis of further improvements in expression of polyketide synthases or other genes, either by appropriate chromosomal alterations to introduce the altered promoter and also the *monRI* gene; or by provision of vectors containing these optimised signals linked to specific genes and housed in suitable host cells.

The sequencing of the monensin cluster has uncovered another strategy for gene regulation in such Type I clusters. The previously-sequenced genes for the rapamycin biosynthetic pathway in *Streptomyces hygroscopicus* included a gene of unknown function (*rapH*). A closely similar gene has now been found in the monensin

biosynthetic gene cluster (*monH*), and it is clear from this recurrence (and the comparison of the sequences with those of database proteins) that this gene is potentially an important DNA-binding sensor gene which acts to

5 regulate the transcription of the cluster in concert with other regulatory signals. Simple experimentation is needed in order to define whether the gene is an activator, in which case putting in another copy or increasing its transcription will have the potential to increase

10 polyketide biosynthesis; or alternatively the *rapH* gene product may be a negative regulator, whereupon deletion of this gene may release the biosynthetic pathway from this inhibitory effect and increase yields.

There is a continuing need to develop new methods of

15 high-level production of bioactive metabolites and other valuable gene products in actinomycetes. *Streptomyces cinnamomensis* is a recognised and very valuable industrial strain for the production of very high levels of monensin, it is readily transformable with DNA by standard methods

20 of conjugation or of protoplast transformation, it is a host for numerous known broad range plasmids including well-known expression plasmids of both high- and low-copy number, it also grows quickly relative to other actinomycete strains (for example about three times faster

25 than wild type *Saccharopolyspora erythraea* the

erythromycin producer, under comparable conditions) and sporulates relatively easily. Heterologous polyketides can be expressed in *Streptomyces cinnamonensis* using for example the low-copy number plasmid pCJR24 (which has no origin of replication active in actinomycetes~ so is maintained by integration into the chromosome) (Rowe, C. et al. Gene (1998) 216:215-223) or the related plasmid pCJR29 in which the polyketide synthase gene(s) are placed under the control of the *actI* promoter which is activated by the ActII-orf4 activator; or alternatively the *monAI* promoter can be substituted together with the MonRI activator; or some other pairing of activator and cognate promoter chosen from either a Type II or a Type I polyketide synthase gene cluster. As an example, the wild type strain of *Streptomyces cinnamonensis* has been used to express the plasmid pCJR29 (Rowe, C. et al. Gene (1998) 216:215-223) containing as insert the three ORFs for the PKS governing the production of 6-deoxyerythronolide B, the macrolide precursor of erythromycin A in *Saccharopolyspora erythraea*, these genes being placed under the control of the pathway-specific *actI* promoter from *Streptomyces coelicolor* together with its cognate activator gene *actII-orf4*. The transformed strain when cultivated in a suitable liquid medium produced 6-deoxyerythronolide B in good yield.

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acyltransferase domain and an ACP domain. We have
uncovered this organisation in the PKS for the 14-membered
macrolide oleandomycin as well as in the monensin PKS, an
organisation of the loading module previously only found
5 for the 16-membered macrolides and in which the KSq domain
(which looks like a ketosynthase or condensation domain
except that the active site cysteine residue is
substituted by a glutamine for which the single letter
notation is Q) had been previously speculated to have no
10 function. It was realised that the acyltransferase of the
loading module actually has malonyl-CoA and not acetyl-CoA
as a substrate and that KSq is an active decarboxylase. It
appears that a better discrimination can be achieved in
the selection of the smaller acetate unit over propionate
15 if the choice is made initially between methylmalonyl- and
malonyl-CoA.

An unprecedented feature of the monensin PKS genes is
that no integral chain-terminating domain is present as a
C-terminal appendage of the PKS extension module that
20 catalyzes the twelfth and final chain extension. Because
the product of the monensin PKS ~~is~~ a carboxylic acid, it
would have been firmly predicted that chain release would
have been catalyzed by such a C-terminal domain containing
a "thioesterase" activity. Previously sequenced PKS gene
25 sets have been of two sorts: first, those macrolide PKSs

typified by erythromycin, spiramycin, tylosin, niddamycin
which have a readily recognisable C-terminal
"thioesterase" domain, which in these enzymes functions as
a specific cyclase rather than releasing the polyketide
5 product as a free carboxylic acid; secondly, those
macrolide PKSs typified by rapamycin, FK506, and
rifamycin, where there is an alternative and recognised
mode of chain termination by transfer of the polyketide
chain to an acceptor moiety, catalyzed by a specific
10 enzyme (eg pipecolate incorporating enzyme for rapamycin
(Schwecke T. *et al.* Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA (1995)
92:7839-7843) and FK506 (Mothamedi H. and Shafiee A, Eur.
J. Biochemistry (1998) 256:528-534); arylamine synthetase
for rifamycin (August P.R. *et al.* Chemistry & Biology
15 (1998) 5:69-79).

The monensin PKS surprisingly falls into neither
category, and therefore seems to be the first example of a
novel mode of chain termination. It is novel and
noteworthy in this connection that the monensin PKS gene
20 cluster contains two small genes that encode discrete,
monofunctional thioesterase enzymes. Although many PKS
gene clusters have been previously shown to contain one
such discrete thioesterase, none have been shown to have
two. The role of such thioesterases is not known, although
25 in the case of methymycin/pikromycin PKS, which has been

reported to be responsible for the biosynthesis of both
the 12-membered macrolide methymycin and the 14-membered
macrolide pikromycin (Xue Y.Q. Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA
(1998) 95:12111-12116) the disruption of this thioesterase
5 reportedly caused a ten-fold drop in the amount of both
macrolides produced. A similar finding has been reported
for the discrete thioesterase of the tylosin PKS gene
cluster (Cundliffe E. et al. Chemistry & Biology in
press). Additional copies of such thioesterases may
10 therefore accelerate the production of specific
polyketide, but this has not yet been demonstrated.
However, the presence of the discrete thioesterase is not
completely essential for polyketide production.

It is highly desirable to have a broadly effective
15 method of catalysing the release of polyketide gene
products from a PKS as the free acid. The well-studied
integral thioesterase domain in the erythromycin PKS
thioesterase has a broad specificity in cyclization to
form a lactone (assuming that a hydroxy group is present
20 in the growing polyketide chain at an appropriate
position), but hydrolysis to form the free acid is very
slow. The recognition of the unusual arrangement of the
monensin PKS means that it is now possible to harness
either the entire PKS module that catalyses the twelfth
25 and final extension cycle in monensin biosynthesis, or the

C-terminal portion of it, and graft it onto a different polyketide synthase by genetic engineering, so as to allow the release mechanism characteristic of monensin to operate in a different context. The use of this portion
5 only of the monensin PKS suffices to allow the novel mechanism of chain release to operate successfully. The speed of the polyketide chain hydrolysis in a given case can depend on the additional presence of one or both of the discrete thioesterase genes (*monAIX* and *monAX*) from
10 the monensin gene cluster. The use of this novel method of chain termination represents a valuable way of generating a large number of novel engineered polyketides that are currently inaccessible, and ensuring that the products have a specified chain length.

15 The genes *monBI* and *monBII* appear to encode very similar enzymes with significant amino acid sequence similarity to authentic ketosteroid isomerases which are known to catalyse the migration of an activated carbon-carbon double bond. The conservation of active site
20 residues makes it very likely that these *mon* genes govern a reaction involving activated ~~double~~ double bonds in the biosynthetic pathway to monensin and this surprising observation can be accommodated if the initial product of the polyketide chain growth on the monensin PKS is a
25 linear precursor in which the double bonds were initially

formed with a conventional *trans* or E (*entgegen*) geometry; but before the polyketide chain was extended by insertion of the next unit the *monBI* and/or the *monBII* gene product(s) catalyse the specific rearrangement of the newly-created double bond into the *cis* or Z (*zusammen*) geometry. This new view of the monensin biosynthetic pathway allows the deduction that the *monBI* and *monBII* genes, perhaps in combination with specific portions of the monensin modules where they normally exert their effects (namely modules 3, 5 and 7) might be used in order to achieve the extremely desirable targetted biosynthesis of novel polyketides containing double bonds with Z geometry at specified point(s) along the chain. Thus for example it should be possible to provide for the direct biosynthesis of C22-C23 *cis* or Z double bond in avermectins, thus avoiding tedious and expensive chemical conversion of an initial fermentation product into this important anthelmintic. Only limited experimentation is needed to see whether the *monBI* and/or *monBII* gene products are sufficient or whether the *mon* PKS at modules 3, 5 and 7 forms part of the specific docking site(s) for the isomerases and therefore must also be used in the creation of the hybrid PKS that will insert the *cis* or Z double bond at the desired position. The substrate specificity of the isomerases need not be limited to 2,3-

unsaturated thioesters. The purified enzymes could also be used to effect such isomerisations *in vitro*, depending on the position of the equilibrium or whether further enzymes are used to achieve the further transformation of the product as it is formed (*vide infra*).

The product of the *monCI* gene is a novel oxidative enzyme with some sequence similarity to authentic examples of such enzymes in the databases; and with a clearly definable role in the monensin biosynthetic pathway, the epoxidation of the double bonds at three separate positions in the initially-formed acyclic intermediate in monensin biosynthesis. This epoxidase could therefore be used in conjunction with *monBI/monBII* gene products to effect oxidative reactions on suitable substrates *in vitro* and *in vivo*. Similarly the *monCII* gene product is a putative cyclase that opens the epoxides and causes the formation of ether rings in monensin.

Any or all of the *monBI*, *monBII*, *monCI* or *monCII* genes may be introduced into a heterologous strain containing the gene cluster for another polyether, in order to divert the biosynthetic pathway and produce a polyketide of altered structure. In these experiments the analogues of these *monB* genes could either be present or (once located and characterised using the *mon* genes as probes) they may be deleted prior to the introduction of

the *monB* and *monC* genes into that strain. The converse experiment in which analogues of the *monB* and *monC* genes from other strains are introduced into *S. cinamomensis* likewise has the potential to produce novel oxidised polyketides. Also, the *monB* and *monC* genes or their analogues may be introduced into a strain that normally produces a macrolide or a polyene or some other complex polyketide and expressed there, when they may effect the diversion of the growing polyketide chain on a heterologous modular PKS towards a new product, which may or may not have the structure of a polyether.

The availability of the monensin gene sequence allows the institution of domain swaps to alter the acyltransferase (AT) specificity of a given module, for example the ethylmalonyl-CoA specific extender found in one of the modules of the monensin PKS can be used to replace one of the other ATs to generate an ethyl side branch at that position in the chain, or the AT can be used to substitute in any other (e.g. macrolide) PKS, as described in WO 98/01571 and WO ~~98~~ 98/01546. Similarly the alteration of the level of reduction in a module, by manipulation of the reductive enzymes, can be applied to the monensin genes and here it will produce, depending on which module is affected, either an altered monensin, or a

species which is only partly cyclised, or a polyether with an altered pattern of cyclisation, or even a linear polyketide.

5 In general the targetted alteration of the pattern of substitution of sidechains or reduction level-along the polyketide chain produced by the monensin PKS will, like the disruption or deletion of the oxidative enzymes mentioned above, lead to non-polyether polyketide products. It should be possible, by introduction of the
10 DEBS thioesterase at the C-terminus of one of the later modules of the monensin PKS, together with an appropriately placed hydroxy group earlier in the chain, to produce novel macrolide products from this polyether PKS system, or alternatively novel polyenes of defined
15 chain length and chosen ring size.

Example 1Cloning of the monensin A biosynthetic gene cluster using
DNA probes derived from the erythromycin-producing
polyketide synthase of *Saccharopolyspora erythraea*

5 A genomic library of the monensin A producing strain
Streptomyces cinnamonensis ATCC 15413 was constructed
using methods well-known in the art, namely, the
production of high molecular weight genomic DNA, followed
by the partial cleavage of this DNA using the frequent-
10 cutting restriction enzyme *Sau*3A, fractionation of the
fragments on a sucrose gradient and selection of fragments
of average size 35-40 kbp, and the cloning of these
fragments into the cosmid vector pWE15 (Evans, G.A. et al.
Gene (1989) 79:9-20) which had been previously digested
15 with *Bam*HI and treated with shrimp alkaline phosphatase.
The library was packaged and transfected into *Escherichia*
coli XL-1 Blue MR cells. The library was plated out on
2xTY agar medium (10 g tryptone, 10 g yeast extract, 5 g
NaCl, 15 g bactoagar per litre containing ampicillin 50
20 μg/ml) for cosmid selection and the colonies were allowed
to grow overnight. The library was then screened by
hybridisation using as a probe DNA encoding the
ketosynthase domain of module 1 of the erythromycin-
producing PKS (6-deoxyerythronolide B synthase, DEBS) of
25 *Saccharopolyspora erythraea*. The colonies giving a

positive hybridisation signal in the hybridisation were selected and the cosmid DNA from each colony was purified and mapped by restriction digestion. The presence of the target biosynthetic genes on a cosmid was verified by sequencing of the ends of the cosmid inserts using the commercially available T3 and T7 primers which hybridise specifically to the respective ends of each cosmid insert (Evans, G.A. et al. Gene (1989) 79:9-20).

Example 2

Sequencing of the biosynthetic gene cluster for monensin A from *Streptomyces cinnamonensis*

Three cosmids obtained by screening of the genomic library of *S. cinnamonensis* were used to obtain the entire DNA sequence of the monensin biosynthetic gene cluster. These cosmids, MO.CN02, MO.CN11 and MO.CN33 between them contain the entire DNA sequence of the cluster and the adjacent regions of the chromosome. They have been deposited in NCIMB, 23 St Machair Drive, Aberdeen AB24 3RY, UK, under the NCIMB accession numbers 40956 (MO-CN11); 40957 (MO-CN33) and 40958 (MO-CN02) respectively.

The DNA of each cosmid was separately subjected to partial digestion with *Sau3A* and fragments of approximately 1.5-2.0 kbp were separated by agarose gel electrophoresis. The fragments were then ligated into the

plasmid vector pUC18 (Messing, 1982), previously digested with *Bam*HI and treated with shrimp alkaline phosphatase. The library was transformed into *E. coli* strain XL1-Blue MR and plated on 2xTY agar medium containing ampicillin
 5 (100 µg/ml) to select for plasmid-containing cells.

Plasmid DNA was purified from individual colonies and sequenced using the Sanger dye-terminator procedure on an ABI 377 automated sequencer (Sanger, F. Science (1981) 214:1205-1210). The sequence data obtained from single
 10 random subclones of a cosmid was assembled into a single continuous sequence and edited using GAP4.1 program of the STADEN gene analysis package (Staden, R. Molecular Biotechnology (1996) 5:233-241).

The sequence is set out in the appended sequence
 15 listing.

Tables I and II contain data about individual genes and gene products.

Example 3

Inactivation of the monensin A biosynthetic gene cluster

20 A chromosomal gene disruption experiment was used to verify the identity of the cloned polyketide synthase gene cluster. Plasmid pMOB6314 is a pUC18 sequencing subclone of the presumed monensin A biosynthetic gene cluster prepared as described in Example 1, whose inserted DNA
 25 comprises the DNA sequence from nucleotide 9763 to

nucleotide 10108 in SEQ ID 1, and which therefore contains a region of DNA wholly internal to *orfE*, a putative 3-O-methyltransferase. A *Hind*III fragment containing the thiostrepton resistance gene *tsr* from plasmid pIJ702 (Katz, E. et al. J. Gen. Microbiol. (1983) 129:2703-2714) was cloned into the *Hind*III site of plasmid pMOB6314 and the ligation mixture was used to transform *E. coli* cells. Transformants bearing the required plasmid pMOΔE01 were identified by isolation of plasmid DNA and analysis by restriction digestion. pMOΔE01. Plasmid pMOΔE01 was used to transform protoplasts of *Streptomyces cinnamonensis* as described by (Hopwood D.A. et al. (1985)). Since plasmid pMOΔE01 lacks an origin of replication that is active in *Streptomyces*, growth in the presence of thiostrepton (25 μg/ml) in the regeneration medium led to the isolation of stable integrants. Isolated putative integrants were tested for the presence of integrated pMOΔE01 sequences by Southern hybridisation. A clone of *Streptomyces cinnamonensis* identified by its restriction pattern in Southern hybridisation as bearing pMOΔE01 integrated in the region of *monE* of the monensin A biosynthetic gene cluster was designated *S. cinnamonensis* MO-DD01.

Detection of production of the monensin A related metabolites produced by *S. cinnamonensis* MO-DD01 was performed by GC-MS analysis of methanol extracts of the

entire broth harvested in 72 hours of growth of the strain. No significant amounts of monensin A-related metabolite production were detectable.

Example 4

5 Overproduction of erythromycin aglycone in *Streptomyces* *cinnammonensis*

S. cinnammonensis is a suitable system for overproduction not just of monensin A but also of other polyketide metabolites. Established techniques of genetic
10 transformation allow fast introduction of foreign polyketide producing genes sets into this host. Fast growth of *S. cinnammonensis* in liquid culture and optimal precursor supply favour high yield of polyketide metabolites.

15 Construction of pIB061

S. erythraea NRRL2338 was transformed with pCJR30 (Rowe, C. J., et al. (1998) Gene 216:215-223) using a routine protoplast transformation technique as described by Hopwood et al. (1985). A stable integrant of *S.*
20 *erythraea* [pCJR30] was identified and the production of 10mg/L of the triketide lactone (delta lactone of (2S,3R,4R,5R)-2,4-dimethyl-3,5-dihydroxy-heptanoic acid) in addition to erythromycins was confirmed by MS analysis.

25 Total DNA of *S. erythraea* [pCJR30] was purified and

approximately 200 ng was digested with *EcoRI* endonuclease. The digestion mixture was precipitated with isopropanol and the resulting DNA was treated with T4 DNA-ligase for 16 hours at 16°C. The ligation mixture was used to transform *E.coli* DH10B cells. The transformants were screened for the presence of the plasmid. A clone containing a 44.7kb plasmid was identified and confirmed by restriction analysis to contain three complete genes: *eryAI*, *eryAII* and *eryAIII*. The plasmid was named pIB061.

Transformation of *S. cinnamonensis*

Protoplasts of *S. cinnamonensis* were prepared by a modified procedure of Hopwood *et al.* (1985). Plasmid pIB061 was transformed into the protoplasts of *S. cinnamonensis* and stable thiostrepton resistant colonies were isolated. Individual colonies were checked for their plasmid content and the presence of plasmid pIB061 was confirmed by its restriction pattern. *S. cinnamonensis* (pIB061) was inoculated into 250 ml of M-C3 minimal production medium containing 10 µg/ml of thiostrepton and allowed to grow for 72 hours at 30 °C. After this time the mycelia were removed by filtering. The broth was extracted with two volumes of ethyl acetate and the combined ethyl acetate extracts were washed with an equal volume of saturated sodium chloride, dried over anhydrous sodium sulphate, and the ethyl acetate was removed under reduced

pressure to give about 200 mg of crude product. The product was analysed by LCQ and mass was confirmed to that of erythronolide B.

This example demonstrates the importance of *S. cinnamonensis* for production of high levels of foreign polyketide antibiotics. Introduction of the complete erythromycin gene cluster or other gene clusters into this system are likely to produce high levels of the corresponding metabolites.

10 Example 5

Construction of plasmid pCJW58 containing the monensin activator gene under the ermE* promoter

The ermE* promoter derived from the *ermE* resistance methyltransferase gene of *S. erythraea* (Bibb et al. Gene (1985) 38:215-226) was amplified by PCR as a *SpeI*-*XbaI* fragment using the following oligonucleotides 5'-CCACTAGTATGCATGCGAGTGTCCGTTTCGAGT-3' and 5'-TTGTATACACCTAGGATGGTTGGCCGTGC-3' with pRH3 (Dhillon et al. Molecular Microbiology (1989) 3:1405-1414 as a template and cloned into *SmaI*-digested, phosphatase-treated pUC18, to produce plasmid pIB135. The integrative plasmid pSET152 (Bierman, M. et al. (1992) Gene 116:43-49) was digested with *XbaI* and the backbone was dephosphorylated and ligated to the *SpeI*-*XbaI* fragment of pIB135 containing the *ermE** promoter. The ligation mixture was used to

transform *E. coli* DH10B and the orientation of the insert in the plasmids from individual clones was checked by using restriction analysis. A plasmid with the *ermE** promoter oriented so that the *NdeI* and *XbaI* sites are
5 adjacent to the apramycin resistance gene was selected and named pIB139.

The *monR* gene from the monensin biosynthetic gene cluster was amplified and *NdeI* and *XbaI* restriction sites introduced at 5' and 3' ends respectively, by PCR using as
10 primers the following oligonucleotides:

5'-AGA TAC CAT ATG CTG GGC CCG CTC CGC AT -3'

and 5'-AAT GCT CTA GAC TGT CAG CGA CCG GAC AGG GCC AA-3'

and cosmid MO.CN11 as template. The PCR product was ligated into *SmaI*-treated and phosphatase-treated plasmid
15 pUC18 and the ligation mixture was used to transform *E. coli* DH10B cells. Transformant colonies were analysed for the presence of plasmid and the identity of the plasmid inserts was verified by sequencing. A plasmid whose insert contained the *monR* gene flanked by *NdeI* and *XbaI*
20 restriction sites was selected and designated pCJW57.

Plasmid pCJW57 was digested with *NdeI* and *XbaI* and the fragment containing the *monR* gene was ligated together with the backbone of plasmid pIB139 which had been digested with the same two restriction enzymes, and
25 purified by gel elution. The ligation mixture was used to

transform *E. coli* strain DH10B cells. Transformant colonies were analysed for the presence of plasmid and the identity of the plasmid inserts was verified by restriction analysis. One such recombinant was selected and named plasmid pCJW58.

Plasmid pCJW58 was used to transform the methylation-deficient *E. coli* strain ET 12567 (MacNeil D. J. et al. (1992) Gene 111:61-68) and the recovered, unmethylated plasmid was then used to transform the same *E. coli* strain ET12567 housing the plasmid pUB307, a derivative of RP4 which is *mob*⁻ and which contains a gene for kanamycin resistance (Piffaretti, J. C. et al. (1988) Mol. Gen. Genet. 212:215-218). Recombinants were plated on 2 x TY agar medium containing apramycin and kanamycin at final concentrations of 50 micrograms per ml and 50 micrograms per ml respectively. The plasmid content of recombinants was checked isolation of plasmid DNA and checking of the identity of these plasmids by restriction analysis. One such clone which contained both pUB307 and plasmid pCJW58 was selected and used for further experiments.

Construction of *Streptomyces cinnamonensis* (pCJW58) and production of monensins

A single colony of *E. coli* ET12567 housing both pUB307 and pCJW58 was toothpicked into 3 ml of TY liquid medium, containing apramycin and kanamycin at 25 and 25

micrograms respectively, and grown overnight at 37°C. This culture was used to inoculate 25 ml of TY medium, supplemented with the same antibiotics at the same concentrations, and growth was continued until the absorbance at 600 nm (1 cm pathlength) was between 0.3-0.6. The cells were centrifuged (room temperature, 7 minutes, 2000 x g), resuspended in TY liquid medium (10 ml) containing no added antibiotics, re-centrifuged as before, then resuspended in 2ml of TSB medium and placed on ice. Meanwhile, 0.5 ml of TSB medium was added to 100 microL containing approximately 10⁸ spores of *S. cinnamonensis*. After a brief heat shock, at 50°C for 10 minutes, the suspension was briefly cooled, mixed with 0.5 ml of donor *E. coli* cells, and plated on solid A medium, which has composition as follows:

A medium

	Sigma wheat starch	5g
	Corn steep powder	1.25g
20	Yeast extract	1.5g
	CaCO ₃	1.5g
	FeSO ₄	6 mg
	DIFCO agar	10g
	H ₂ O	to 500 ml
25	pH adjusted to pH 7 with KOH.	

The plates were allowed to dry overnight at room temperature, and were then allowed to incubate a further 18 hours at 30°C. After this time each 25 ml plate was overlaid with a solution of apramycin (final concentration 50 micrograms per ml) and nalidixic acid (final concentration 20 micrograms per ml), and the plates were allowed to incubate for four days at 30°C. At this time individual colonies were toothpicked onto solid A medium and allowed to grow. Four representative colonies from the A medium plate were grown up in liquid modified YEME medium, which has composition as follows:

Sucrose	100g
DIFCO Yeast extract	3g
Bacto peptone	5g
Oxoid Malt extract	3g
Glucose	10g
H ₂ O to 1L	

pH adjusted to pH 7.2 with NaOH.

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composition as follows:

SM16 medium

	3-[N-Morpholino]-propane sulfonic acid	
5	(MOPS) buffer	20.9g
	L-proline	10.0g
	Glucose	20g
	NaCl	0.5g
	K ₂ HPO ₄	2.1g
10	Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid, sodium salt	0.25g
	MgSO ₄ .7H ₂ O	0.49g
	CaCl ₂ .2H ₂ O	0.029g
	Trace elements solution (Hopwood,	
15	D. A. et al. (1985) Genetic Manipulation of <i>Streptomyces</i> - a Laboratory Manual, at p.235)	2 ml
	0.5 M CoCl ₂ solution	2 microlitres
	H ₂ O to 1L	
20	pH adjusted to pH 7 with NaOH.	

After growth for a further 7 days, mycelium was collected by centrifugation at 2000 x g for 30 minutes, and the supernatant was extracted three times with 300 ml of ethyl acetate. The combined extracts were concentrated
 25 by evaporation under reduced pressure to an oil, which was

mixed with 1 ml of methanol. Samples were applied to an
 LCQ liquid chromatograph fitted with a mass spectrometer
 detector unit. The column used was a C18 reversed phase
 column, equilibrated with a mixture of 80% 20mM ammonium
 5 acetate/20% acetonitrile, and the column was eluted with a
 gradient of increasing acetonitrile, reaching 100%
 acetonitrile over 24 minutes. Monensins A and B emerged
 from the column with retention times respectively of 8.2
 minutes and 9.2 minutes. The relative amounts of monensin
 10 produced by three independent clones (A-C) containing an
 additional copy of the *monR* gene were compared to a
 control fermentation of the wild type *S. cinnamonensis*
 strain, with the results shown in the Table below:

15 Table showing increased monensin production in strains
bearing additional copy of *monR* gene

	Strain	monensin A	monensin B
		concentration	concentration
		(arbitrary units)	(arbitrary units)
	Control	188	861
20	A	430	1 800
	B	450	1 300
	C	249	1 300

Example 6

Construction of *S. cinnamonensis* M12AT5

25 A region lying immediately 5' of the DNA encoding the

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a fragment downstream of the AT12-encoding sequence, from 80.5kb to 81.4kb of the *mon* cluster, was designated pM082.

The DNA encoding AT of module 5 was amplified and *MscI* and *AvrII* restriction enzyme recognition sites were introduced at the ends by PCR using the following primers:
 5'-CCTGGCCAGGGCGGCCAGTGGGTGGGCATG-3' and 5'-GGCCTAGGGGTCGGCCGGGAACCAGCGCCGCCAGT-3' and the cosmid MO-CN33 as a template. The PCR product was ligated into *SmaI*-treated and dephosphorylated pUC18 and the ligation mixture was used to transform DH10B *E.coli* cells. Transformant colonies were analysed for the presence of plasmid and the identity of the plasmid inserts was verified by sequencing. A plasmid whose insert DNA, with sequence from about 44.2kb to 45.2kb of the *mon* cluster, encoded the AT5 domain was designated pM083.

pM081 was digested with *MscI* and *HindIII* and ligated to the 0.9kb *MscI* - *HindIII* fragment of pM082. A clone containing both fragments was designated pM084. Plasmid pM084 was cleaved with *AvrII* and *HindIII*, treated with phosphatase, and ligated together with the 1.0 kb *AvrII* - *HindIII* fragment of pM083 to produce pM085, which contains the DNA encoding the AT5 domain flanked by DNA from either side of the DNA encoding the AT12 domain of the monensin PKS. The thiostrepton resistance gene *tsr*, derived from plasmid pIJ702 (Katz, E. et al., J. Gen. Microbiol.

1983), was cloned into the *HindIII* site of pM085. The resulting plasmid pM086 was analysed by its restriction pattern and confirmed to contain all the desired elements.

5 Plasmid pM086 was used to transform *S. cinnamonensis* protoplasts as described by Hopwood, D. A. (1985). Stable thiostrepton-resistant transformants were isolated and checked for the desired integration of the pM085 into the AT12 flanking regions by Southern blot hybridisation. One
10 such integrant, *S. cinnamonensis* MO-08, containing pM085 integrated upstream of the AT12, was passed through 4 cycles of sporulation on a non-selective nutrient medium. Spores obtained after the fourth cycle were replica-plated onto media with and without thiostrepton.
15 DNA of clones that had lost thiostrepton resistance was analysed by Southern blot hybridisation. Clones in which the DNA encoding the AT12 domain had been replaced by the DNA encoding the AT5 domain was designated *S.*
cinnamonensis M12-AT5. At this time individual colonies
20 were toothpicked onto solid A medium and allowed to grow. Four representative colonies from the A medium plate were grown up in liquid modified YEME medium, which has composition as follows:

Modified YEME medium

	Sucrose	100g
	DIFCO Yeast extract	3g
	Bacto peptone	5g
	Oxoid Malt extract	3g
5	Glucose	10g

H₂O to 1L

pH adjusted to pH 7.2 with NaOH.

These cultures were used to provide a 2% vol/vol inoculum for 30 ml of modified YEME which was grown for 7 days, and then transferred to SM16 medium, which has composition as follows:

SM16 medium

	3-[N-Morpholino]-propane sulfonic	
15	acid (MOPS) buffer	20.9g
	L-proline	10.0g
	Glucose	20g
	NaCl	0.5g
	K ₂ HPO ₄	2.1g
20	Ethylenediaminetetraacetic acid,	
	sodium salt	0.25g
	MgSO ₄ .7H ₂ O	0.49g
	CaCl ₂ .2H ₂ O	0.029g
	Trace elements solution (Hopwood,	
25	D. A. et al. (1985) Genetic	

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2 ml

0.5 M CoCl_2 solution

2 microlitres

H_2O to 1L

5 pH adjusted to pH 7 with NaOH.

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After growth for a further 7 days, mycelium was collected by centrifugation at 2000 x g for 30 minutes, and the supernatant was extracted three times with 300 ml of ethyl acetate. To confirm presence of the C-2-ethyl substituents of both monensin A and B the combined
10 extracts were concentrated by evaporation under reduced pressure to an oil, which was mixed with 1 ml of methanol. Samples were applied to an LCQ liquid chromatograph fitted with a mass spectrometer detector unit. The column used
15 was a C18 reversed phase column, equilibrated with a mixture of 80% 20mM ammonium acetate/20% acetonitrile, and the column was eluted with a gradient of increasing acetonitrile, reaching 100% acetonitrile over 24 minutes. Mass ions 14 mass units above those expected for both
20 monensin A and B confirmed production of the respective C-2-ethyl substituents.

Example 7. Construction of pSGK005 and its use in the production of C-13 propyl-erythromycin

25 Plasmid pSGK005 is a pCJR24 based plasmid containing a PKS gene comprising a loading module plus the first and

second extension modules and the chain terminating thioesterase of the PKS responsible for the production of erythromycin (DEBS). The loading module comprises the KS and ethyl-malonyl CoA specific AT from module 5 of the monensin PKS linked to the DEBS loading ACP domain. In addition, the active site cysteine of this module 5 KS has been mutated to glutamine to convert an extender di-domain to a loading di-domain. Plasmid pSGK005 was constructed as follows.

A 2769bp DNA segment of the monensin cluster of *S. cinnamonensis* extending from nucleotide 42438 to 45207 was amplified by PCR using the following oligonucleotide primers. 5'-GTGACGTCATATGTCGAGTGCTGAAGAGTCG-3' and 5'-GGGGTCGCCTAGGAACCAGCGCCGCCAGTCGA-3'

The design of these primers introduced *Nde* I and *Avr* II sites at the ends of the amplified fragment. Monensin cosmid 05 was used as a template for the reaction. The resulting 2769bp fragment was digested with *Nde* I and *Xho* I and a 656bp fragment (Fragment A) purified by preparative gel electrophoresis.

A second PCR reaction was ~~used~~ with the same template to amplify DNA from nucleotide 43098 to 45207. The primers used were

5'-CGGCCTCGAGGGCCCGTCGGTCAGTGTGACACGGCGCAGTCCTCCTCGC-3'

and 5'-GGGGTCGCCTAGGAACCAGCGCCGCCAGTCGA-3'

The design of the upstream oligonucleotide primer incorporated a change of the codon specifying the KS active site cysteine (nucleotides 43135-43137, TGC) to glutamine (CAG). The resulting 2109bp DNA fragment
5 (Fragment B) was digested with *Xho* I and *Avr* II and purified by preparative gel electrophoresis.

Plasmid pCJW80 is derived from pCJR24 and DEBS1-TE in which *Msc* I and *Avr* II sites have been introduced to flank the AT of the DEBS loading module. This plasmid was
10 digested with *Nde* I and *Avr* II and the larger fragment (Fragment C) purified by preparative gel electrophoresis.

The three fragments (Fragments A, B, C) were ligated together using T4 DNA ligase and the ligation mixture used to transform electrocompetent *E. coli* DH10B cells.
15 Individual clones were checked for the presence of the desired plasmid pSGK005. The identity of pSGK005 was confirmed by restriction pattern and sequence analysis.

Plasmid pSGK005 was used to transform *S. erythraea* NRRL2338 using a routine protoplast transformation
20 technique. Thiostrepton resistant colonies were selected on R2T20 media containing g/ml thiostrepton. Further analysis confirmed that pSGK005 had integrated into the *S. erythraea* NRRL2338 chromosome by Southern blot hybridisation of their genomic DNA with DIG-labelled DNA
25 containing the *actII orf4* promoter. The culture *S.*

erythraea NRRL2338 (pSGK005) was inoculated into 5ml tap
water medium in a 30ml flask. After three days
incubation at 29°C this flask was used to inoculate 30ml of
Ery-P medium in a 300ml flask. The broth was incubated at
5 29°C at 200rpm for 6 days. After this time the whole broth
was adjusted to pH8.5 with NaOH, and then extracted twice
with an equal volume of ethyl acetate. The ethyl acetate
extract was evaporated to dryness at 45°C under a nitrogen
stream using a Zymark Turbovap LV evaporator. The product
10 identities were confirmed by LC/MS. A peak was observed
with a m/z value of 734 (M+H)⁺ required for erythromycin A.
A second peak was observed with a m/z value of 748 (M+H)⁺,
required for 13-propyl erythromycin A.

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TABLE I

gene	function	start	end
gdhA	glutamate dehydrogenase (partial)	1038	0
dapA	dihydrodipicolinate synthase	2140	1220
orf3	putative transcriptional activator	2211	3152
orf4	hypothetical protein	3264	3680
orf5	hypothetical protein	4307	3684
orf6	hypothetical protein	4570	4758
orf7	hypothetical protein	5058	5612
acpX	acyl carrier protein	6010	5693
ksX	ketoacyl synthase	8531	6045
monCI	probable epoxihydrolase/cyclase	9542	8643
monE	methyltransferase	10426	9596
monT	monensin resistance gene (ABC-	10656	12191
monRI	probable repressor	12205	12780
monAI	thioesterase	13829	13023
monAI	polyketide synthase loading &	14121	23198
	KS-L	14172	15486
	AT-L malonate specific	15777	16880
	ACP-L	17019	17276
	KS1	17358	18626
	AT1 methylmalonate specific	18960	19976
	DH1 (potential)	20019	20519
	KR1 (inactive)	21636	22241
	ACP1	22536	22793
monAI	polyketide synthase module 2	23205	29921
	KS2	23307	24569
	AT2 methylmalonate specific	24891	25913
	DH2	25953	26369
	ER2	27600	28463
	KR2	28485	29042
	ACP2	29313	29570
monAI	polyketide synthase modules 3 & 4	29974	42372
	KS3	30076	31347
	AT3 malonate specific	31798	32838
	DH3	32884	33465
	KR3	34692	35181
	ACP3	35553	35811
	KS4	35899	37170
	AT4 methylmalonate specific	37489	38511
	DH4	38557	38982
	ER4	40123	40986
	KR4	41005	41562
	ACP4	41848	42105
monAI	polyketide synthase modules 5 & 6	42448	54564
	KS5	42628	43890
	AT5 ethylmalonate specific	44221	45243
	DH5	45289	45744
	KR5	46785	47337
	ACP5	47593	47850

	KS6	47947	49218
	AT6 malonate specific	49579	50601
	DH6	50644	51075
	ER6	52222	53102
	KR6	53101	53661
	ACP6	54052	54306
monA	polyketide synthase modules 7 & 8	54614	66934
	KS7	54716	55978
	AT7 methylmalonate specific	56300	57319
	DH7	57358	57802
	KR7	59048	59608
	ACP7	59867	60124
	KS8	60185	61453
	AT8 malonate specific	61808	62839
	DH8	62882	63316
	ER8	64577	65437
	KR8	65456	66016
	ACP8	66404	66661
monA	polyketide synthase module 9	66952	72054
	KS9	67075	68340
	AT9 malonate specific	68698	69729
	KR9 (potential)	70735	71262
	ACP9	71536	71783
monH	probable regulator	72051	74993
monCl	FAD containing epoxidase	76541	75051
monBl	double bond isomerase	76960	76538
monBl	double bond isomerase	77450	77016
monA	polyketide synthase modules 11 &	88708	77447
	KS11	88612	87344
	AT11 methylmalonate specific	87022	85993
	KR11	85111	84562
	ACP11	84292	84035
	KS12	83962	82694
	AT12 methylmalonate specific	82354	81335
	DH12 (potential) delta	81286	80855
	ER12 (potential)	79618	78914
	KR12	78895	78337
	ACP12	78070	77812
monA	polyketide synthase module 10	93741	88816
	KS10	93636	92368
	AT10 methylmalonate specific	92040	91021
	KR10	90132	89584
	ACP10	89322	89068
monD	P450 oxygenase	94081	95273
monRl	probable activator	96141	95338
monA	thioesterase	96941	96138
orf29	cell wall biosynthesis capK	97580	98953
lipB	lipase B	99983	98991
orf31	ion pump	101433	100507
orf32	membrane structural protein	102581	101490
amtA	glycine amidinotransferase	102924	103450

TABLE II

GdhA, glutamate dehydrogenase (partial coding sequence) Length: 346 amino acids

1 LTTRPDTKTA LSQKTALSQ L TEIEHRNPA QPEFHQAARE VLET LAPVIA
51 ARPEYAEAGL IERLCEPERQ IVFRVPWQDD HGRVVRVNRGF RVEFNSALGP
101 YKGGLRFHPS VNLGVIKFLG FEQIFKNALT GLGIGGGKGG SDFDPRGRSD
151 AEVMRFCQSF MTELYRHIGE HTDVPAGDIG VGGREIGYLF GQYRRITNRW
201 EAGVLTGKGR NWGGSLIRPE ATGYGNVLF AAML RERGET LEGRTAVVSG
251 SGNVAIYTIQ KLAALGANAV TCSDSSGYVV DEKGIDLDLL KQVKEVERAR
301 VDTYAQRPGA SARFVPGRRV WEVPADIALP SATQNELDAD DATALI

DapA, dihydrodopicolinate synthase Length: 307 amino acids

1 MTLASSLEPT TEPLFNGLYV PLVTPFTDDL RLAPEALARL ADEALSAGAS
51 GLVALGTTAE AATLTAEERE TVIRVCSAAC RAHGAPLIVG VGTNDTATAI
101 TALRELAARG DVAAALVPAP PYIRPGEAGT LAHFAALAEH GGLPLVVYDI
151 PYRTGQTLGA GTITALGRLP EVVGIKHATG SIDPTTMELL DSPLPGFAVL
201 GGDDIVLSPL VAAGAHGGIV ASANLRTADY AEMIALWRRG SAAPARALGA
251 DLARLSAALF TEPNPTVIKG VLHAQNRI PS PAVRMPLLA SADSVRRAAP
301 LAASRK*

ORF3, putative transcriptional activator protein Length: 314 amino acids

1 MLDVRRRLHLL RELDRRG TIA AVAEALTFTA SAVSQQLGVL EREAGVPLLE
51 RSGRRVVLTP AGRSLVAHAD AVLNRLEQAV AELAGARDGI GGPLRIGTFP
101 SGGHTIVPGA LAELASRHPA LEPMVREIDS ARVSDGLRAG ELDVALVHDY
151 DFVPATPDTT VDEVPLLEP MYLVTHAADT ATDSGSGSTL AALLGPCAEV
201 PWITARDGTT GHAMAVRACQ AAGFQPRIRH QVNDFRTVLA LVAAGQGAGF
251 VPRMAAEPSP AGVVLTKLPL FRRSKVAFRA GGAHPAIAA FVAAATTAVE

301 RMAGSRGPAG GSE*

ORF4, hypothetical protein Length: 139 amino acids

1 MADDAYLFL L PDRHPRLGAA LAAVGALECT ETPAVHAWLQ AHEASVSSEQ
51 VRILPADAET LIPKDAERLP VPLSEEEALK VEQECAPQTV TDMESELLAF
101 RETTQDWQAL VHRALTAGIP AQRIARLTGL DPTEEIGRL*

ORF5, hypothetical protein Length: 208 amino acids

1 LAVAACAAVV LPIDAVVRIS AADVGVLVFF AYLLPYLAIT MTVFVSVAPE
51 QVRSWARREA RGTFLQRYVL GTAPGPGGSL FIAAAALVVA VLWLPGHLST
101 TFSALPRTL V ALALVVAWI CVVVAFAVTF QADNLVENER ALEFPGERSP
151 AWADYVYFAL AAMTTFGTDD VDVTSRDMRR TVAANTVIAF VFNTVTVAIL
201 VSALGGR*

ORF6, hypothetical protein Length: 63 amino acids

1 MTVMDBKLKQM LKGHEDKAGQ GIDKAGDFVD GKTQGGKYSQ VDTAQDKLRD
51 QFGSDQQEPP QR*

ORF7, hypothetical protein Length: 185 amino acids

1 MGTAQSQEQA AAPGACAAV RFVLCGGGVG LASSFAVVAL ASWVPWALAN
51 ALVAVVSTVV ATELHARFTF GAGGRATWRQ HAQSAGSAAA AYAVTCVAMF
101 VLQQLVAAPG AVLEQVVYLS ASALAGVARF VVLRLLVFAR NRSLPAAAV
151 RTARPVRRVP APVPATVAHA ASRPAGPAAL CPAA*

AcpX, acyl carrier protein (ACP) Length: 106 amino acids

1 MTSTDHTSGQ DATELEKQLA AATPEEREKL LTDTIRTQAG TLLNTTSLDD
51 SNFLENLNS LTALELTKTL MTLTGMEIAM VAIVENPTPA QLAHHLGQEL
101 AHTTA*

KsX, ketoacyl-ACP synthase Length: 829 amino acids

1 VANEEKLVEY LKWTTAELHQ AQQQLRELKA AQHEPIAVVS MACRLPGKTR
51 TPDDLWDLVS EGRDAVTGFP DDRAWELPEE RPYAELGGFL DDAAGFDAGF
101 FDISDTEAVA TEPLQRLMLH LAWETVERGH IAPHTLRSTL TGVYVGATGH
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201 LVALHLACQA LRRGECGLAL AGGGTVMSTP HTFHAFAHQK SLAQDGRCKP
251 - FAAAADGMGL GEGVGLVLLE RLGDARKNGH PVLAVIRGSA VNQDGAGYGL
301 AAPNGPSQQH VIRAAALADAG LTPDQIDAVE AHGTGTPIGD AIEVQALLAT
351 YGADRSPDRP LWLGSVKSNT GHTQGAAGAA ALIKMVQAFR HGTLPTLHV
401 DRPTPLAAWK KGAVRLLTEA VDWPRREEPR RVGISAFATS GTNAHLILEE
451 PPVDEAPVPD AARDQTSPVA PELPVAWSLS ARTPEALRAQ AKALVTHLAA
501 TDPAPSPAEV AYSLAATRSP LEHRAVLTGT DHTELLAAAR ALAAGEDHPD
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701 PPDAYEPVLK QLTFQRATLT LTSTAPADTP IASADYWHHH LTSPAPTAPP
751 TPETHLLHL GALSPEGTQT SAVSALLTAL ARLHTTGGTV DWTPLVRRT
801 HPRTIDLPTY SFQATRYWLH DHTAHAAV*

MonCII, probable epoxyhydrolase/cyclase Length: 300 amino acids

1 VKNLRIPVSQ TVSLNVRYRP ADGPGAPGRP FLLLHGMLSN ARMWDEVAAR
51 LAAAGHPAYA VDHRRGHGESD TPPDGYDNAT VVTDLVAAVT ALDLSGALVA
101 GHSWGAHLAL RLAAEHPDLV AGLALIDGGW YEFDGPVMRA FWERTADVVR
151 RAQQGTTSAA DMRAYLRATH PDWSPTSIEA RLADYRVGPD GLLIPRLTST
201 QVMSIVAGLQ REAPADWYPK VTVPVRLPL IPAIPQLSDQ VRAWVAAAEA

251 ALEQVSVRWY PGSDHDLHAG APDEIAADLL LLARSCEAMP GGKAGVRPA*

MonE, S-adeonosylmethionine-dependent methyltransferase Length: 277 amino acids

1 VNKTVAPEPS DIGHYDHKV FDLMTQLGDG NLHYGYWFDG GEQQATFDEA
 51 MVQMTDEMIR RLDPA PGDRV LDIGCGNGTP AMQLARARDV EVVGISVSAR
 101 QVERGNRRAR EAGLADRVRF EQVDAMNLPF DDGSFDHCWA LESMLHMPDK
 151 QQVLTEAHRV VKPGARMPPIA DMVYLNPDPS RPRTATVSDT TIYAALTDIG
 201 DYPDIFRAAG WTVLELTDIT RETAKTYDGY VEWIRahrde YVDIIGVEGY
 251 ELFLHNQAAL GKMPelgyIF ATAQRP*

MonT, putative monensin resistance gene (ABC-transporter) Length: 512 amino acids

1 MSADLGARRW WAVGALVLAS MVVGFDVTIL SLALPAMADD LGANNVELQW
 51 FVTSYTLVFA AGMIPAGMLG DRFGRKKVLL TALVIFGIAS LACAYATSSG
 101 TFIGARAVLG LGAALIMPTT LSLLPVMFSD EERPKAIGAV AGAAMLAYPL
 151 GPILGGYLLN HFWWGSVFLI NVPVVILAFI AVSAWLPESK AKEAKPFDIG
 201 GLVFSSVGLA ALTYGVIQGG EKGWTDVTTL VPCIGGLLAL VLFVMWEKRV
 251 ADPLVDLSLF RSARFTSGTM LGTVINFTMF GVLFTMPQYY QAVLGTDAMG
 301 SGFRLLPMVG GLLVGVTVAN KVAKALGPKT AVGIGFALLA AALFYGATTD
 351 VSSGTGLAAA WTAAYGLGLG IALPTAMDAA LGALSEDSAG VGSGVNQSIR
 401 TLGGSFGAAI LGSILNSGYR GKLDLDGVPE QAHGAVKDSV FGGLAVARAI
 451 KSNGLADSVR SAYVHALDVV LVS GGLGLL GVVLAVVWLP RHVGQSTAKT
 501 AESEHEAADA V*

MonRII, probable repressor protein Length: 192 amino acids

1 VPGLRERKKA RTKAAIQREA VRLFREQGYT ATTIEQIAEA AEVAPSTVFR
 51 YFATKQDLVF SHDYDLPFAM MVQAQSPDLT PIQAERQAIR SMLQDISEQE

101 LALQRRERFVL ILSEPWLGA SLGNIGQTMQ IMSEQVAKRA GRDPRDPAVR
151 AYTGA VFGVM LQVSMDWAND PDMDFATTLD EALHYLEDLR P*

MonAIX, thioesterase Length: 269 amino acids

1 MDRGTAARAP QIGDEFGAAT GNGVWLRRYH AAAEAPVRLV CFPFAGGSAS
51 YYFGLSGLLA PGVEVLAVQY PGRQDRHAEP CLASVAELAD GVVPHLPCDG
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151 GAFGDADILA HLRAMGGTDE RFFRSPELQE LVLPALRADY RAVATYEAPG
201 PGRLD CPITA LIGDADERTS PEQAATWRER TGAAFDLRVL PGGHFYLDGC
251 QEQVA AVVTE ALTAGPGV*

MonAI, polyketide synthase multi-enzyme MONS1, housing loading module and extension module 1 Length: 3026 amino acids

1 MAASASASPS GPSAGDPPIA VGMACRLPG APDPDAFWRL LSEGRSAVST
51 APPERRRADS GLHGPGGYLD RIDGFDADFF HISPRAVAM DPQQRLLLEL
101 SWEALEDAGI RPPTLARSRT GVFGAFWDD YTDVLNLRAP GAVTRHTMTG
151 VHR SILANRI SYAYHLAGPS LTVDTAQSSS LVAVHLACES IRSGDS DIAF
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2251 ASADGRAWRV GVSDPTGAEV LTCEALVAVA AGRRELRAAG ERVSDLYAVE
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2951 PHTETGEITT RLEALLTRWK TTNATANDSG DGNGGDDDAE ERLKAASADQ
3001 IFDFIDNELG VGHGTSRVTP TPKAG*

MonAII, polyketide synthase multi-enzyme MONS2, housing extension module 2 Length: 2239 amino acids

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1  MASEEQLVEY LRRVTTELHD TRRRLVQEED RRQEPVALVG MACRFPGGVA
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151 GVIYAGVSSD YMSQLPRIPE GFEGHATTGS LTSVISGRVA YNYGLEGPAV
201 TVDTACSASL VAIHLASQAL RQRECDLALA GGVLVLSSPL MFTEFCRQRG
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401 LPATLHVEEL SPHVDWDAGA VEVVTEPTPW PETGHPRRAG VSAFGISGTN
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MonAIII, polyketide synthase multi-enzyme MONS3, housing extension modules 3 and 4 Length: 4133 amino acids

1	MVSEEKLV	DY LKRVSADLHA	TRQRLREAE	E RGQEPVAVVE	AACRYPGGIR
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4051 PPVKDAADPV LNDLGRIESS LDALALDADA RSRVTRRLNT LLSKLNGAAT
4101 AGSPADV TDL DALDALDDVS DDEMFEFIDR EL*

MonAIV, polyketide synthase multi-enzyme MONS4, housing extension modules 5 and 6 Length: 4039 amino acids

1 MSSAEESSPD VSGTGVSGTG ESATGTSSTE AKLRQYLKRV TVDLGQARRR
51 LREVEERAQE PIAIVSMACR FPGDTRTPEA LWDLVAEGGD AIDDFPTNRG
101 WDLES LYHPD PDHPGTSYVR RGGFLYDAPA FDASFFGISP REALAMPQQ
151 RVL METAWQL LERAGIDPAS LKLSATGVYI GAGVLGF GGA QPDKTVEGHL
201 LTGSALS VLS GRISFTLGLE GPSVSVD TAC SSSLVSMHLA AQALRQGECD
251 LALAGGV TVM STPGAFTEFS RQGALSPDGR SKAFAASADG TGFSEGAGLL
301 LLERLS DARR NGHKVLA VIR GSAVNQDGAS NGLTAPNGPS QERVIRAALA
351 NAGLGAAEVD AVEAHGTGTK LGDPIEAGAL LATYGRDRDE DRPLWLGSVK
401 SNIGH PQGAA GVAGVIKMVM ALQRELLPAT LYVDEPTPHV DWSSG SVRLL
451 TEPVPWTRGE RPRRAGVSAF GMSGTNAHVI LEEAPPEEAA AAETPAEGTG
501 AVVPWVVSGR GEEALRAQAA QLAEHVRDDD QRPASPLEVG WSLATTRSVF

551 ENRAVVVGDD RDALLDGLRS LAAGEASPDV VSGAVGPTGP GPVMVFPGQG
601 GQWVGMGARL LDESPVFAAR IAECEQALSA YVDWSLTDVL RGDGSELARI
651 DVVQPVLWAV MVALAAVWAD QGIEPAAVVG HSQGEIAAAC VVGAISLDEA
701 ARIVAVRSVL LRQLSGRGGM ASLGMGQEQ AADLIDGHPGV VVAAVNGPSS
751 TVISGPPEGI AAVVADAQER GLRARAVASD VAGHGPQLDA ILDQLTEGLA
801 GIRPAATDVA FYSTVTAGHL TDTTELD TAY WVRNVRRTVR FADTIDALLA
851 DGYRLFIEVS PHPVLNLALE GLIERAAVPA TVVPTLRRDH GDTTQLARAA
901 AHAFAGADV DWRRWFPADP APRTVDLPTY AFQRQDFWPA PAGGRSGDPA
951 GLGLAASGHP LLGASVGLAS GDVHLLSGRV SRQSAAWLDD HVVAGQALVP
1001 GAAQVEWVLR AGDDAGCSAL EELTLQTP LV LPDTGGLRIQ VVVEAADAHG
1051 RRDVRLFSRP DDDDAFASTH PWTCHATGVL APAPTDGTNG TRDAADTLDG
1101 AWPPADAEPV PADDLYAQAD RTGYGYGPAF RGVRLWRHG KDVLA EVTLP
1151 KEAGDPDGFG IHPALLDAVL QPAALLLPPT DAEQVWLPFA WNDVALHAVR
1201 ATTVRVRLTP LGERIDQGLR ITVADAVGAP VLTVRDLRSR PTDTGRLAAA
1251 ATRDRHGLFD LEWIAPENAA ENAAGPARDA SEGWVTLGED AASLADLLAS
1301 VEAGAPAPQL VAAPVEPDRT DDGLALATHV LDLVQTWLAS PLHDSRLVLV
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1401 HLEEPQLAVH GGEIRVPRLV RATTDPTAPN GTPEADRTAD PSEGLHRNGT
1451 VLITGGTGVL GRLVAEHLVT EWGVRHLLLA SRRGDQAPGS AELRARLSEL
1501 GASVEIAPAD VGDAEAVAAL IASVDP AHPL TGVIHAAGVL DDAVITAQTP
1551 ESLARVWATK ATAARHLHEA TRETPLDFFV VFSSAAASLG SPGQANYAAA
1601 NAYCDALVQH RRAQGLAGLS IAWGLWQATS GMTGQLSETD LARMKRTGFA
1651 ALTDEGGLAL LDAARAH DRA YVVAADLDPR AVTDGLSPLL RALTAPATRR
1701 RVASEGLADG ALATRLAGLD ADGRLRLLLTD VVREYVA AVL GHGSAARVG

1751 DIAFKDLGFD SLTAVELRNR LSAACDVRLP ATLIFDHPTP QALATHLVDR
1801 LAGSTSATTT VNATAPAAAH VAAGADVAD TDDPVAIVAM TCRFPGGVAS
1851 PDDLWDLDA RKDAMGAFPT DRGWDLERLF HPDPDHPGTS YTDQGGFLPD
1901 AGDFDAAFFG INPREALAMD PQORLLEAS WEVLERAGID PTTLKGTPTG
1951 TYVGLMYHDY AKSFPTADAQ LEGYSYLAST GSMVSGRVAY TLGLEGPAVT
2001 VDTACSSSLV SIHLATQALR HGECDLALAG GVTVMADPDM FAGFSRQRGL
2051 SPDGRCKAYA AAADGVGFSE GVGVLLELRL SDARRHGRRV LGVVRGSAVN
2101 QDGASNGLTA PNGPSQERV I RQALASGGLS SVDVDVVEGH GTGTTLGDPI
2151 EAQALLATYG QGRPEDRPLW LGSVKSNIH TQAAAGVAGV IKMVMAMRHG
2201 VVPASLHVDV PSPHVEWDSG AVRLAVESVP WPQVEGRPRR AGVSSFGASG
2251 TNAHVIVESV PDGLEEDSVS VGGEALETET DGRLVPWVVS ARSPQALRDQ
2301 ALRLRDFASD ASFRAPLADV GWSLLKTRAL HEHRAVVVGA ERAELIAALE
2351 ALATGEPHAA LVGPACSQAR VGGDDVVWLF SGQGSQLVGM GAGLYERFPV
2401 FAAAFDEVCG LLEGPLGVEA GGLREVVRFG PRERLDHTVW AQAGLFALQV
2451 GLARLWESVG VRPDVVLGHS IGEIAAAHVA GVFDLADACR VVGARARLMG
2501 GLPEGGAMCA VQATPAELAA DVDGSAVSVA AVNTPDSTVI SGPSDEVDR I
2551 AGVWRERGRK TKALSVSHAF HSALMEPMLA EFTEAIRGVK FRQPSIPLMS
2601 NVSGERAGEE ITDPEYWARH VRNAVLFQPA IAQVADSAGV FVELGPAPVL
2651 TTAAQHTLDE SDSQESVLVA SLAGERPEES AFVEAMARLH TAGVAVDWSV
2701 LFAGDRV PGL VELPTYAFQR ERFWLSGRSG GGDAATLGLV AAGHPLLGA
2751 VEFADRGGCL LTGRLSRSGV SWLADHVVAG AVLVPGAALV EWALRAGDEV
2801 GCVTVEELML QAPLVVPEAS GLRVQVVVEE AGEDGRRGVQ IYSRPDADAV
2851 GGDDSWICHA TGVLSPE SAR LDTELGGVWP PAGAEPLDVD GFYAQAGEAG
2901 YGYGPAFRGL RAVWRHGQDL LAEVLVPEAA GAHDGYGIHP ALLDATLHPL

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2951 LAARFMDGSE DDQLYVPFGW AGVSLRAVGA TTVRVRLRPV GESVDQGLSV
3001 TVTDATGGPV LSVDSLQTRP VKPSQLAAQ QPDVRGLFTV EWTPLPQTDA
3051 DGEADWVVL S DVGRLADV SAAGGEAPWA VVAPVDASVG DGREGLDGRL
3101 VVERVLSLVQ EFLALPELAE SRLLVVTRGA VATGVDGDGD VDASAAAVWG
3151 LVRSAQSEN GRFILLDVDG DGDDQGPDLN GRHLPHATLR HAAEELDEPQ
3201 LALREGTLYV PRLTQARQSA ELVVPPEGA WRLRMVHDGS LDALAAVACP
3251 EALEPLAPGQ VRIAVHAAGI NFRDVLVALG MVPAYGAMGG EGAGVVTEVG
3301 PEVTHVSVGD RVMGVFEGAF GPVVIAEARM VTPVPQGWDM REAAGIPAAF
3351 LTAWYGLVEL AGLKAGERVL VHAATGGVGM AAVQIARHVG AEVFATASPG
3401 KHAVLEEMGI DAAHRASSRD LAFEGTFREA TGGRGMDVVL NSLAGEFIDA
3451 SLRLLGDGGR FLEMCKTDVR AAEEVAAEHA DVSYTAYDLV GDAGPDRISN
3501 MLDKLEVELFA SERLKPLPVR SWPLDKAQEA FRFMSQAKHT GKLVL EIPPA
3551 LDPEGTVLVT GGTGALGQVV AEHLVREWGV RHLLLASRRG PEAPGSDELA
3601 SKLTGLGAEV TIVAADVSDP ASVVELVGKT DPSHPLTGTV HAAGVLEDGV
3651 VTAQTPEGLA RVWAAKAAAA ANLHEATREM RLGLFVVFSS AAATLGSPGQ
3701 ANYAAANAYC DALMQHRRAV GQVGLSVGWG LWEAPDAKPG VAADAKASAA
3751 TVGKASALSD GTNGSAPQDT TGTAPQGMTG GLTDTDVARM ARIGVKGMSN
3801 AHGLALFDAA HRHGRPHLVG FNLDLRTLAT HPLHTRPALL RGLATPTAGG
3851 ASRPTATAGG QPADLAGRLA ALSPSDRHHT LVRLIREQAA TVLGHHPD SL
3901 TTGSTFKELG FDSLTAVELR NRLSAATGLR LPAGLVFDHP DADILAEHLG
3951 AQLAPDGDTP AGAEATDPVL RDLAKLENAL SSTLVEHLDA DAVTARLEAL
4001 LSNWKAASAA PGSGSTKEQL QVATTDQVLD FIDKELGV*

MonAV, polyketide synthase multi-enzyme MONS5, housing extension modules 7 and 8 Length: 4107 amino acids

1 MASEEELVDY LKRVAELHD TRQRLREVED RRQEPVAVVG MACRFPGGIE
51 TPEGLWELVA AGDDAIEPFP TDRGWDLEGI YHPDPDHPGT CYVREGGFLA
101 APDRFDSDFG GFSPREALAS SPQLRLLLET SWEALERAGI NPASLKGSPT
151 GVVYGAATTG NQTQGDPPGK ATEGYAGTAP SVLSGRLSFT LGLEGPAVTV
201 ETACSSSLVA MHLAANALRQ GECDLALAGG VTVMSTPEVF TGFSRQRGLA
251 PDGRCKPFAA AADGTGWGEG AGLILLERLS DARRKGHKVL AVIRGSAINQ
301 DGASNGFTAP NGPSQRRVIR QALSSAHLST SEIDVVEAHG TGTRLGDPIE
351 AEALIATYGK EREDDRPLWL GSVKSNIGHT QAAAGVAGVI KVMALQREL
401 LPATLNVDEP TPHVQWEGGG VRLLTEPVPW SRGERPRRAG ISSFGISGTN
451 AHVLEEAPP EEDVPGPVAA EPEGVVPWV SARTEEALSE QARRLGEFVA
501 DTDPTADVG WSLTTSRAIL EHRAVVVGRD RDALTAGLAA LAAGEESADV
551 VAGVAGDVGP GPVLVFPQG SQWVGMAQL LDESPVFAAR IAECEQALSA
601 YVDWSLSAVL RGDGSELSRV EVVQPVWAV MVSLAAVWAD YGVTPAAVIG
651 HSQGEMAAAC VAGALSLEDA ARVVAVRSDA LRQLMGQGDMA ASLGASSEQA
701 AELIGDRPGV CIAAVNGPSS TVISGPPEHV AAVVADAEER GLRARVIDVG
751 YASHGPQIDQ LHDLLTDRLA DIRPATTDVA FYSTVTAERL TDTTALDIDY
801 WVTNLRQPVR FADTIDALLA DGYRLFIEAS AHPVLGLGME ETIEQADIPA
851 TVVPTLRRDH GDTTQLTRAA AHAFTAGATV DWRRWFPADP TPRTIDLPTY
901 AFQRRSYWLP VDGVDVRSR GLRRVEHSL PAALGLADGA LVLTGRLAAS
951 GGGGGWLADH AVAGTTLVPG AALVEWALRA ADEAGCPSLE ELTLQAPLVL
1001 PGSGGLQVQV VVGPAQGQG RREVRVFSRV DSDDEAAGQD EGWSCHATGV
1051 LSPEPGAVPD GLSGQWPPTG AEPLISDLY EQAASAGYEV GPSFRGLRSV
1101 WRHGHNLLAE VELPEQAGAH DDFGIHPVLL DAALHPALLL DQNPAGEEQE
1151 PAQPALRLPF VWNGVSLWAT GAATVRVRLA PHGGGETDDS AGLRVTVADA

1201 TGAPVLSVDS LALRPADPEL LRTAGRAGSG TNGLEFTVEWT ALPPADVADH
1251 AAGDGWAVLG QDVDPWAGAD MPRHPDMASL SAALDEGTQA PAAVFEVETTA
1301 TSHATPNTAA DVTLDASGRA VAERTLHLLR DWLAEPRLAE TRLVLIITHHA
1351 VTTPADDDVN AAPLDVPAAA LWGLIRSAQA EHPDRFVLLD TDAKANTDPG
1401 PDTSTDHSTA SGTYRTVIAR ALATGEPQLA VRAGELLAPR LARAATPTPE
1451 TPTPETQPDY GSGSEAGAGS GSGPGATLDP DGTVLIAGGT GMMGGLVAEH
1501 LVRAWSVRHL LLVSRQGPDA PDARDLADRL VGLGATVRIV AADLTDGRAT
1551 ADLVASVDPA HPLTGVIHAA GVLDDAVVTA QTSDQLARVW AAKASVAANL
1601 DAATSELPLG LFLMFSSAAG VLGNAQAGY AAANAFVDAL VGRRRRATGLP
1651 GLSIAWGLWA RGSAMTRHLD DADLARLRAG GVKPLLDEQG LALLDAARAT
1701 AAHTSLVVAA GIDVRGLNRD DVPAILRDLA GRTRRRRAAD STVDQAALER
1751 RLTGLDEAER RAVVTDVVRE CVAAVLGHRG AADV RTEANF KDLGFDSLTA
1801 VQLRNRLSAA SGLRLPATLA FDHPTPQALA AYLGTRLSCR TATPVAPVAP
1851 SAAATDEPVA IVAMACKYPG GATSPEGLWD LVAEGVDAVG AFPTGRGWDL
1901 ERLFHDPDPH PGTSYADEGA FLPDAGDFDA AFFGINPREA LAMDPQQRLL
1951 LEASWEVLER AGIDPTTLKG TPTGTIVGVM YHDYAAGLAQ DAQLEGYSML
2001 AGSGSVVSGR VAYTLGLEGP AVTVDTACSS SLVSIHLAAQ ALRQGECTLA
2051 LAGGVTVMAT PEVFTGFSRQ RGLAPDGRCK PFAAAADGTG WGEGVGVLLL
2101 ERLSDARRHG RRVLGVVGRS AVNQDGASNG LTAPNGPSQE RVIRQALASG
2151 GLSSVDVDV EHGHTGTTLG DPIEAQALLA TYGQGRPVDR PLWLGSVKSN
2201 IGHQAAGV AGVIKVMAM RHGVVPASLH VDVPSPHVEW DSGAVRLAVE
2251 SVPWPEVEGR PRRAGVSSFG ASGTNAHVIV ESVPDGLGED SVSVSGEAP
2301 TETDGRLVPW VVSARSPQAL RDQALRLRDA VAADSTVSVQ DVGWSSLKTR
2351 ALFEQRAVVV GRERAELLSG LAVLAAGEEH PAVTRSREDG VAASGAVVWL

2401 FSGQGSQLVG MGAGLYERFP VFAAAFDEVC GLLEGPLGVE AGGLREVVFR
2451 GPRERLDHTM WAQAGLFALQ VGLARLWESV GVRPDVVLGH SIGEIAAAHV
2501 AGVFDLADAC RVVGARARLM GGLPEGGAMC AVQATPAELA ADVDDSGVSV
2551 AAVNTPDSTV ISGPSGEVDR IAGVWRERGR KTKALSVSHA FHSALMEPML
2601 AEFTEAIREV KFTRPKVSLI SNVSGLEAGE EIASPEYWAR HVRQTVLFPQ
2651 GIAQVASTAG VFVELGPGPV LTAAQHTLD DVTDRHGPEP VLVSSLAGER
2701 PEESAFVEAM ARLHTAGVAV DWSVLFAGDR VPGLVELPTY AFQRRERFWLS
2751 GRSGGGDAAT LGLVAAGHPL LGAAVEFADR GGCLLTGRLS RSGVSWLADH
2801 VVAGAVLVPG AALVEWALRA GDEVGCVTVE ELMLQAPLVV PEASGLRVQV
2851 VVEEAGEDGR RGVQIYSRPD ADAVSGDDSW ICHATGTLTP QHTDAPNDGL
2901 AGAWPAAGAV PVDLAGFYER VADAGYAYGP GFQGLRAVWR HGQDLLAEVV
2951 LPEAAGAHDG YGIHPALLDA TLHPALLLDW PGEVQDDDGK VWLPFTWNQV
3001 SLRAAGAATV RVRLSPGEHD EAEREVQVLV ADATGTDVLS VGSVTLRPAD
3051 IRQLQAVPGH DDGLFSVDWT PLPLSRTDVS QTDADGDADW VVLSDBGVGS
3101 ADVVSAAGGE APWAVVAPVG ASAGGGLAGF DRREGLDGRL VVERVLSLVQ
3151 EFLAAPELAE SRLVLVTRGA VATGGDGDGD VDASAAAVWG LVRSAQSEN
3201 GRFILLDVDM DVDVDVMDV DVDVDVDV DGDGNGSDLD PDLNGRRLPH
3251 ATLRHAAEEL DEPQLALRDG QLLVPRLVRA TGGGLVVAPT DRAWRLDKGS
3301 AETLESVAPV AYPGVMEPLG PGQVRLGIHA AGINFRDVLV SLGMVPGQVG
3351 LGGEGAGVVT ETGPDVTHLS VGDRVMGVLH GSFGPTAVAD TRMVAPVPQG
3401 WDMRQAAAMP VAYLTAWYGL VELAGLKAGE RVLIHAATGG VGMAAVQIAR
3451 HLGAEVFATA SAAKHVVLEE MGIDAAHRAS SRDLAFEDTF RQATDGRGMD
3501 VVLNSLTGEF IDASLRLLDG GGRFLEMCKT DVRTPEEVAA EYPGVITYTVY
3551 DLVTDAGPDR IAVMMSELGE RFASGALDPL PVRSWPLDKA REAFRFMSQA

3601 KHTGKLVLDV PAPLDPDGTV LITGGTGALG QVVAEHLVRE WGVRLHLLAS
 3651 RRGLDAPGSG ELADRLSDLG AEVTVAAADV SDPASVVELV GKTDPSHPLT
 3701 GVVHAAGVLE DGIVTAQTPE GLARVWAAKA AAAANLHEAT REMRLGLFVV
 3751 FSSAAATLGS PGQANYAAAN AYCDALMQRRAAGQVGLSV GWGLWEAPDA
 3801 KPGVAADAKP DVAADAKTGV AADGTPQGMT GTLSGTDVAR MARIGVKAMT
 3851 SAHGLALLDA AHRHGRPHLV AVDLDTRVLA HKPAPALPAL LRAFAGDQGG
 3901 QGGGRGGGRG GGPAPAAAT TRQNVDDWAAK LSVLTAEEQH RTLLDLVRTH
 3951 AAVVLGHAGT DAVRADAAAFQ DLGFDSLTAVALRNRLSAST GLRLPATFIF
 4001 RHPTPSAIAD ELRAQLAPAG ADPAAPLFGE LDKLETVITG HAHDESTRT
 4051 LAARLQNLW RLDDTSARSD HAAGASDADG DAVENRDLES ASDDELFEI
 4101 DRELPS*

MonAVI, polyketide synthase multi-enzyme MONS6, housing extension module 9 Length: 1701 amino acids

1 MPGTNDMPGT EDKLRHYLKR VTADLGQTRQ RLRDVEERQR EPIAIVAMAC
 51 RYPGGVASPE QLWDLVASRG DAIEEFPADR GWDVAGLYHP DPDHPGTTYV
 101 REAGFLRDAA RFDADFFGIN PREALAADPQ QRVLLEVSWE LFERAGIDPA
 151 TLKDTLTGVY AGVSSQDHMS GSRVPPEVEG YATTGTLSSV ISGRIAYTFG
 201 LEGPAVTLDT ACSASLVAIH LACQALRQGD CGLAVAGGVT VLSTPTAFVE
 251 FSRQRGLAPD GRCKPFAEAA DGTGFSEGVG LILLERLSDA RRNGHQVLGV
 301 VRGSAVNQDG ASNGLTAPND VAQERVIRQA LTNARVTPDA VDAVEAHGTG
 351 TTLGDPIEGN ALLATYGKDR PADRPLWLGS VKSNIGHTQA AAGVAGVIKM
 401 VMAMRHGELP ASLHIDRPTP HVDWEGGGVR LLTDPVPWPR ADRPRRAGVS
 451 SFGISGTNAH LIVEQAPAPP DTADDAPEGA ATPGASDGLV VPWVVSARSP
 501 QALRDQALRL RDFAGDASRA PLTDVGWSSL RSRALFEQRA VVAGRERAEL
 551 LAGLAALAAG EEHPAVTRSR EEAAVAASGD VVWLFSGQGS QLVGMGAGLY

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601 ERFPVFAAAF DEVCGLLEGE LGVSGGGLRE VVFWGPRERL DHTVWAQAGL
651 FALQVGLARL WESVGVRPDV VLGH SIGEIA AAHVAGVFDL ADACRVVGAR
701 ARLMGGLPEG GAMCAVQATP AELAADV DGS SVSVAAVNTP DSTVISGPSG
751 EVDRIAGVWR ERGRKTKALS VSHAFHSALM EPMLGEFTEA IRGVKFRQPS
801 IPLMSNVSGE RAGEEITSPE YWARHVRQTV LFQPGVAQVA AEARAFVELG
851 PGPVLTA AAQ HTLDHITEPE GPEPVVTASL HPDRPDDVAF AHAMADLHVA
901 GISVDWSAYF PDDPAPRTVD LPTYAFQGRR FWLADIAAPE AVSSTDGEEA
951 GFWAAVEGAD FQALCDTLHL KDDEHRAALE TVFPALSAWR RERRERSIVD
1001 AWRYRVDWRR VELPTVPVGA GTGPDADTGL GAWLIVAPTH GSGTWPQACA
1051 RALEEAGAPV RIVEAGPHAD RADMADLVQA WRASCADDTT QLGGVLSLLA
1101 LAEAPATSSD TTSHTSTSCG TGSLASHGLT GTLTLLHGLL DAGVEAPLWC
1151 ATRGAVSCGD ADPLVSPSQA PVWGLGRVAA LEHPELWGGL VDLPADPESL
1201 DASALYAVLR GDGGEDQVAL RRGAVLGRRL VPDATPDVAP GSSPDVSGGA
1251 AHADATSGEW QPHGAVLVTG GVGH LADQVV RWLAASGAEH VLLD TG PAN
1301 SRGPGRNDDL AAEEAEHGTE LTVLRSLSEL TDVSVRPIRT VIHTSLPGEL
1351 APLAEVTPDA LGAAVSAAAR LSELPGIGSV ETVLFFSSVT ASLGSREHGA
1401 YAAANAYLDA LAQRAGADAA SPRTVSVGWG IWDLPDDGDV ARGAAGLSRR
1451 QGLPPLEPQL ALGALRAALD GGKGHTLVAD IEWERFAPLF TLARPTRL LD
1501 GIPAAQRVLD ASSESAEASE NASALRRELT ALPVRERTGA LLDLVRKQVA
1551 AVLRYEPGQD VAPEKAFKDL GFDSL VVVEL RNRLRAATGL RLPATLVYDY
1601 PTPRTLAAHL LDRVLPD GGA AELPVA AHL DLEAALTDLP ADDPRRKGLV
1651 RRLQTLLWKQ PDAMGAAGPA DEEEQAAPED LSTASADDMF ALIDREWGTR
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MonH, probable regulatory protein Length: 981 amino acids

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1 VSGVERGVGS AGPVEQGDGL AGLVERAEAL AALRGAFDGS PGTGGSLVVL
 51 SGAVGTGKTA LLRAWADRIG ADADALVLTA TACRAERDLP LGVLEQLVRS
 101 PGLPPASAER ALAWWDEEAS ATPGKTDANG TSANGTDANG TGAGQTGAGQ
 151 AGVGQTGVGG EPVLAASALR GLCEVLRDLL AERPVVVAVD DAHHADAASL
 201 QCLLSVVRRL RSARLHVLFT EYAHQKAQNA LLSSEFLHEP ALRRIRLEPL
 251 SKAGVEALLA RHLDERTAQD LTPVVHGMSA GHPLLVRALA EDHRAAGGAG
 301 EAYGRAVLSF LYRHETPVTQ VARAIAALGA HAGPGQVGRL LDVDAASVER
 351 AVRQLTVAEV LHEGRLCHPA FAAAVLDGMP PEERRALHGR VADLLHEEGA
 401 PATEVAAHLV AADRSDAPWA VPVFQEAQAL ALDEDQVETG VDYLRAAHQ
 451 CRGAAQRAAV VGALADAEWR LDPKVLRLHL PDPAAMAPQT DPAALAPHTD
 501 PAPTAAPTAA PTPTPIPTTP PLPTHLLWHG RVEEGLDAIG TLTGPGPNPA
 551 GAPPMPADL DTPWLWGAYL YPGHVKERLG SGALSPQRST PPAVTPELQG
 601 AGTLMNDLLH GGERDATEAA ERALNRYRLG PRTIAVQTAA LAALTYRDRP
 651 HRAAAWCDGL VAQADERNSP TWRALFTAWR ALLHLRQGDG AAAEQRAETA
 701 LALLGSKGWG AAIGLPLAAA VQAKAALGDV DGAAALLERP VPQAVFQTRT
 751 GLHYLAARGR YHLATGCHYA ALCDFYACGT RMSSWGVLDL ALEPWRLGAA
 801 EAYLALGEGE LARQLVDGQL PLPTPDDGRT WGMTLRLRAA TSPAPARAE
 851 LDEAVAVLRE SGDTFELARA VADQAVAVRE GGEAERARLL ARKAELLARR
 901 WGSAPAPATV PEPPERPGPA TPDAELTSAG RRVAELAAEG FTNREISRKL
 951 CVTVSTVEQH LTRIYRKLDV RRLDLQAALG *

MonCI, flavin-dependent epoxidase Length: 496 amino acids

1 VTTTRPAHAV VLGASMAGTL AAHVLRHVD AVTVVERDAL PEEPQHRKGV
 51 PQARHAHLLW SNGARLIEEM LPGTDDRLLA AGARRLGFPE DLVTLTGQGW
 101 QHRFPATQFA LVASRPLLDL TVRQQALGAD NITVRQRTA VELTGSGGGS

151 GGRVTGVVVR DLDSGRQEQL EADLVIDATG RGSRLKQWLA ALGVPALEED
201 VVDAGVAYAT RLFKAPPGAT THFPAVNIAA DDRVREPGRF GVVYPIEGGR
251 WLATLSCTRG AQLPTHEDEF IPFAENLNHP ILADLLRDAE PLTPVFGSRS
301 GANRRLYPER LEQWPDGLLV IGDSLTA FNP IYGHGMSSAA RCATTIDREF
351 ERSVQEGTGS ARAGTRALQK AIGAAVDDPW ILAATKDIDY VNCRVSATDP
401 RLIGVDTEQR LRFAEAITAA SIRSPKASEI VTDVMSLNAP QAELGSNRFL
451 MAMRADERLP ELTAPPFLPE ELAVVGLDAA TISPTPTPTP TAAVRS

MonBII, carbon-carbon double bond isomerase Length: 141 amino acids

1 MPDEAARKQM AVDYAERINA GDIEGVLDLF TDDIVFEDPV GRPPMVGKDD
51 LRRHLELAVS CGTHEVPDPP MTSMDDRFVV TPTTVTVQRP RPMTFRIVGI
101 VELDEHGLGR RVQAFWGVTD VTMDDPAGPA DTTHPEGIRA *

MonBI, carbon-carbon double bond isomerase Length: 144 amino acids

1 MNEFARKKRA LEHSRRINAG DLDAIIDLYA PDAVLEDPVG LPPVTGHDAL
51 RAHYEPLLAH HLREEAAEPV AGQDATHALI QISSVMDYLP VGPLYAERGW
101 LKAPDAPGTA RIHRTAMLVI RMDASGLIRH LKSYWGTS DL TVLG

MonAVIII, polyketide synthase multi-enzyme MONS8, housing extension modules 11 and 12 Length: 3754 amino acids

1 MSNEEKLLDH LKWVTAELRQ ARQRLHDKES TEPVAIVGMA CRYPGGARSA
51 EDLWELVRDG GDAVAGFPDD RGWDLES LYH PDPEHPATSY VRDGAFLYDA
101 GHFDAEFFGI SPREATAMDP QORLLLETAW EAIEHAGMNP HALKGS DTGV
151 FTGVS AH DY L TLISQTASDV EGYIGTGNLG SVVSGRISYT VGLEGP AVTV
201 DTACSSSLVA IHLASQALRQ GECSLALAGG STVMATPGSF TEFSRQRGLA
251 PDGRCKPFAA AADGTGWGEG AGVVALELLS EARRRGHKVL AVIRGSATNQ
301 DGTSNGLAAP NGPSQERVIR AALANARLSA EDIDAVEAHG TGTTLGDPIE

351 AQALIATYGQ GRPEDRPLWL GSVKSNIGHT QAAAGVAGVI KVMAMRNGL
 401 LPTSLHIDAP SPHVQWEQGS VRLLEPVDW PAERTRRAGI SAFGISGTNA
 451 HLILEEAPPE EDAPGPVAAE PGGVVPWVVS GRTPDALREQ ARRLGEFAAG
 501 LADASVSEVG WSLATTRALF DQRAVVVGRD LAQAGASLEA LAAGEASADV
 551 VAGVAGDVGP GPVLVFPQGQ SQWVGMGAQL LDESPVFAAR IAECEQALSA
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 651 HSQGEMAAAC VAGALSLEDA ARIVAVRSDA LRQLQGHGDM ASLSTGAEQA
 701 AELIGDRPGV VVAAVNGPSS TVISGPPEHV AAVVADAEAQ GLRARVIDVR
 751 YASHGPQIDQ LHDLLTDRLA DIQPTTTDVA FYSTVTAERL DDTTALDTAY
 801 WVTNLRQPVR FADTIEALLA DGYRLFIEAS PHPVLNLGIQ ETIEQQAGAA
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1751 DTGCSsSLVA IHQAAHALRQ GECSLALAGG ATVMATPGSF VEFSLQRGLA
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2451 VDLPTYAFQR ERFWLEGRRG LAGDPAGLGL ASAGHPLLGA AVELADGGSH
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2601 AAGVVAPPGP DAGDASFGGT WPPPGATPVG EQDPYGELAS YGYDFGPGSQ
2651 GLVSAWRLGD DLFAEVALPE AESGRADRYQ VHPVLLDATL HALILDaVTS
2701 SADTDQVLLP FSWSGLRVHA PGAEKLRVRI ARTAPDQLAL TAVDGGGGGE

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 3651 EDSLLSVSSK DGSARAELAG RLRLATLRLD APQDTAGEVA VATRTRIQDA
 3701 SADEIFAFID RDLGRDGASG QGNGQPTGQG NGHNGNGNG NGNGHGQAVE
 3751 GQR*

MonAVII, polyketide synthase multi-enzyme MONS7, housing extension module 10 Length: 1642 amino acids

1 MAHTEEKLE YLKRVTADLR QTERRLODVE SAGHEPVAVI GMACRLPGGV
 51 RSPEEFWELV STGGDAVAPL PGNRNWDLDS LYDPDPESTG TSYVREGGFV

101 YDAGDFDPTF FGIGPTEAAA MAPQORLAL TAWEAIERAG IDPLSLRSSD
 151 TSTFIGCDGL DYALGASEVP EGTAGYFTIG NSGSVTSGRV AYTLGLEGPA
 201 VTVDTACSSS LVSLHLATQA LRTQECSLAL AGGTYVMSSP APLIGFSELR
 251 GLAPDGRCKP FSASSDGMGM AEGTGVVLE RLSDARRKKG KVLAVIRGSA
 301 INQDGASNGL TAPNGPAQER VIRAAALANAR LAPEDIDAVE AHGTGTTLGD
 351 PIEAGALISA YGRERPEDRP LWVGAVKSNI GHTQIAAGVA GVIKMLALR
 401 HDLLPAILHV DAPSPHVEWD GSGLRLLTDP VKWPRGERPR RAGVSSFGFS
 451 GTNAHLILEE APPEEEDVPG SVAEEP GG V PWVVSGRTPD ALRAQARRLG
 501 EFAAGPADAS AADVGWSLTT TRSVFEHRAV VVGRDRDALT AGLGALAAGE
 551 ASAGVVAGVA GDVGPGPVLV FPGQGSQWVG MGAQLLDESP VFAARIAECE
 601 RALSAYVDWS LSAVLRGDGS ELSRVEVVQP VLWAVMVSLA AVWADYGVTP
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1351 GAYGAANHFL DALAEHRRQA GLPATSIANG PWAEAGMSAD PESLTYFKRF
1401 GLLPIAPDLC VKALHQAVDA GDATLTVANF DWAKFTPTFT AQRPSPFLLD
1451 LPENQREAEQ TGTAETSAT REELAKTPAS QRLGFLVQQV RTYAAATLGR
1501 TVEDIPAAKP FQELGFDSL AVQLRNQLNT TTGLSLPATV IFDHPTPEAL
1551 ATHLRGQLGD GAEVAGEGDV LAALDKWDTA FGAAEVDEAA RRRIVGRLQV
1601 LVSKWSPAQD GPEGTDSAHA DLEAASADDI FDLISSEFGK S*

MonD, cytochrome P450 hydroxylase Length: 431 amino acids

1 VGLTVGPDNA KRGIVPITDS KPAATFPDLV DPSFWARPHA ERVALFEEMR
51 GLPRPAFIRQ NMPGVPWTFG YHALVKYADI VEVSRRPQDF SSNGATTIIG
101 LPPELDEYYG SMINMDNPEH SRLRRIVSRS FGRNMIPEFE AVATRTARRI
151 IDELIARGPG DFIRPVAEM PIAVLSDMMG IPAEDHDFLF DRSENTIVGPL
201 DPDYVPDRAD SERAVIEASR ELGDYIAGLR AERLAAPGND LITKLQVQA
251 DGEQLTRQEL VSFFILLVIA GMETTRNAIS HALVLLTEHP EQKQLLLSDF
301 DTHAPNAVEE ILRVSTPINW MRRVATRD CD MNGHRFRRGD RIFLFYWSGN
351 RDESVFPDPY RFDITRG TNA HVTFGAVGPH VCLGAHLARM EITVLYRELL
401 AALPQIHAVG QPRRLDSSFI EGIKHLHCAF *

MonRI, probable activator protein Length: 268 amino acids

1 VRYEMLGPLR IKDGNDYATI NAQKVEIVLT VLLIRADRVV SLEQLMREIW
51 GEDLPRRATA GLHVIISQLR KFLKVP GSAG NPVETRAPGY VLHKRDDDQI
101 DAQIFPELVD VGRSLLREKR FDEAASCFGQ ALALWRGPIL GQGGNGPGTN
151 GPIIDGFSTW LTEIRLECQE MLVEQQLQLG RHREAVGMLY ALTAENPMCE
201 AFYRQLMLAL YRSERQADAL KVYQSVRCTL NDELGLEPGR PLQELQRAIL
251 AGDMHLMSP PLALSGR*

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MonAX, thioesterase Length: 278 amino acids

1 LSAFLAKGKI LSAFPPPDMS DPWIRRFPRR PEAVVRLVCF PHAGGSASY
 51 HPLAQSP TLP TDSEVLAVQY PGRQDRRRER LLDDIGELAD LITDALGPFD
 101 DRPLAFFGHS MGAFLAYEVA QRLRERTGKQ PCRLFVSGRR APSRFRRGTV
 151 HLLDDTELA ELRRAGGTDP RFLDDEELLA EIIPVVRNDY RAVELYRWNP
 201 SPPLSCPITA LVGDRDPQAP LDEVEAWQQH TEGPFDLKVF AGGHFYLNTH
 251 - QQGVTEVISK ALADSAQQRA TARGNAR*

ORF29, a homologue of CapK involved in cell wall biosynthesis Length: 428 amino acids

1 LADLVAHARS ASPYYRELYH GLPERIEDPT LLPVTDKKQL MDHFDDWPTD
 51 RDITFEKVRA FTDDPELIGR RFLGRYLVAT TSGTSGRRGL FVLDDRYMNV
 101 SSAVSSRVLA SWLGPLGIAR AVVHGGRFAQ LVATEGHYVG FAGYSRLRQD
 151 GEARSKLVRA FSVHEPMSRL VAELENEYRPA FVIGYASTIM LFTAEQEAGR
 201 LHIDPVLVEP AGETMTESDT DRIAAAFGAK VRTMYSATEC TYLSHGCAEG
 251 WYHVNDWDVAV LEPVDADHRP TPPGEFSHTT LISNLANRVQ PFLRYDLGDS
 301 VMLRPDPCPC GTPSPAIRVQ GRS GDILTFP SGRGDDVSLA PLAFSSLFDR
 351 MPGVELFQIE QTAPSTLRVR VVQAPGADAD HVWQRAHDGL THLLADNKLD
 401 NVTVERGEEP PRQASGGKYR TIIPLAA*

LipB, lipase B Length: 338 amino acids

1 VKVPVEVTVR LSSWLGGGLVA AVLAATVLP SAASAADVSS PPLEIPAAEL
 51 AKALHCGTEL GDLRDAGDKP TVLFVPGTGL KGEENYAWNY MAELKKKGYQ
 101 SCWVDSPGRG LRDMQESVEY VVYATRAIQE ATGRKVDLVG HSQGGLLTAW
 151 ALRFWPDLPK KVDDMVTLGS PFQGTRLASP CRPIAEVAGC PASVLQFARD
 201 SNWSKALGAD GTPMPAGPSY TTIYSYADES VVADGEAPSL PGAHRIGVQD

251 ICPGRPWPETH IAMVVDQVSY DLVADAIEHP GPADTSRIDR AHCAKPV MPL
 301 NSQEAVDALP GLLNFPIELL IHSQPWVDEE PPLRPYAR

ORF31, putative ion pump Length: 309 amino acids

1 MGHDHGPSAG AAGGTLSTGY RKRLWTIGI SGSITVIQVV GALLSGSLAL
 51 LADAAHSLTD AVGVSLALGA ITLAQRAPTP RRTFGFCRVE IFSAVLNALL
 101 LVVIFAWVLW SAIGRFSEPV EVKGGLMFVV ALGGLAANLV GLWLLRDAKE
 151 KSLNLRGAYL EVLGDALGSV AVIVGGLVIL LTGWQAADPI ASIVIGLLIV
 201 PRAYGLLRDS LHVLLLEATPQ DVDLGEVRRH LLEERGVAHV HDLHGWTVTS
 251 GMPVLTAAHV VTEEALASGY GELLGRLQRC VGGHFDVAHS TIQLEPEGHV
 301 EEDGALHT*

ORF32, hypothetical membrane protein Length: 364 amino acids

1 MTRALTLHDW IVAGIAVVAG VVAGLLLRAL LRWLGERASK TRWSGDDVIV
 51 DALRTLVPCL AITAGLAAAA GALPLTPRTG RNVTMTLTAL LILAATLTAA
 101 RIVTGLVKAV AQSRSGVAGS ATIFVNITRV VVLAMGFLIV LQTLGISIAP
 151 LLTALGVGGL AVALALQDTL ANLFAGVHIL AAKTVQPGDY IQLSSGEEGY
 201 VVDINWRNTT VRQLSNNLVI IPNAKLAGTN MTNYSRPEQE LSIMVQVGVS
 251 YDSDLEQVEK VTTEVVDEVM AEITGAVPDH EAAIRFHTFG DSRISFTVIL
 301 GVGEFSDQYR IKHEFIKRLH QRYRAEGIRV PAPVRTVRVQ QGELPPPLGI
 351 PHQRDTSTQA RLH*

**AmtA, glycine amidinotransferase (partial coding sequence)
 Length: 131 amino acids**

1 MSPVNSHNEW DPLEEIIIVGR LEGATIPSSH PVVACNIPTW AARLQGLAAG
 51 FEYPQRLIEP AQQELDQFIA LLQSLDVTVR RPAAVDHKHR FGTPDWQSRG
 101 FCNSCPRDSM LVVGDEIIET PMAWPCRCFE T